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The Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company

THE ANNUAL General Meeting of the shareholders will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated Sept. 1st, 1891.
CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.
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NOTICE.

The Union Colliery Company of British Columbia (Limited Liability.)

THE ANNUAL General Meeting of the Stockholders will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated Sept. 1st, 1891.
CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.
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NOTICE.

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Notice to Contractors, Builders, &c

TENDERS will be received on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until noon on Thursday, 10th September, inst., for alterations and additions to Boatswain's and Carpenter's Quarters.

Drawings and specifications can be seen at the office of the Clerk of Works in this yard.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be endorsed "Works, etc."
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BALMACEDA'S FALL.

Official Confirmation of the Insurgent Victory Received at Washington.

General Basquedano Recognized as President—Prominent Balmacedists to be Shot.

German and U. S. Admirals Decline to Surrender Refugees Unless Their Safety is Guaranteed.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The Herald this morning has the following cable advices from Chili: General Basquedano has been recognized as the president ad interim of the republic by the members of the junta here.

The government troops at Concepcion, Talcahuana and other places have notified the congressionalist authorities that they have finished fighting and are ready to obey orders from the junta, and only Coquimbo promises to make trouble.

All that remains to be done now is to put down sporadic cases of disorder, bring to trial such of the Balmacedist officers as have been guilty of outrage and tyranny, and prepare for an election which will again give the republic an unquestioned constitutional government.

Balmaceda has escaped to Buenos Ayres. He left Santiago, according to the news received by Senor Godoy, Saturday morning, with six carriages containing his family and valuables.

Several prominent government officials will be shot to-morrow after trial by martial law.

Referring to the silver shipment, Godoy says Balmaceda bought the Italian steamer Aquila, at Montevideo, but the owners required cash. The United States Navy Department refused to allow the Baltimore to carry the money for him. British Minister Kennedy obtained permission for the Espiegle to convey the same to the English bank, at Montevideo. The steamer was bought for £140,000, of which £60,000 was to be used to furnish fixtures and guns. The Aquila was to be fitted out as a cruiser. The bullion has gone to England. Balmaceda's officials at Coquimbo have cut the English cable there, and refused to surrender, and will make a fight. The Esmeralda, with the Lynch, goes to Coquimbo, to-night. A transport, with troops, will follow.

The procurator fiscal, who prosecuted the cases against the men who were to be in the plot to blow up the torpedo boats Almirante Lynch and Almirante Condell, and the transport Imperial, which resulted in the execution of Cumming and two others, was taken out and shot to-day.

The presence of political refugees on board the American and German warships has been the cause of several conferences and much ill-feeling. Formal demand for the surrender of the refugees was made, yesterday, on the United States and German admirals.

After a conference the two navy officers informed the authorities that they would decline to surrender the men unless proper guarantees were given that their lives would be safe until they had a fair trial.

WASHINGTON CITY, Aug. 31.—The official confirmation of Balmaceda's fall reached the state and navy departments this morning. Acting Secretary Wharton received the following cablegram:

VALPARAISO, Aug. 30, 9:30 p.m.—Balmaceda turned over the government to Basquedano and has fled. Canto goes to Santiago, to-night, to assume control until the arrival of the junta from Iquiqui. Good order here.

(Signed) McCREERY, Consul.

Acting Secretary Seeley also received the following cablegram from Admiral Brown:

VALPARAISO, Aug. 30.—The President of Chili surrendered the government to the Chilian General, Basquedano, and he has left Santiago. Valparaiso is well organized. The foreign forces have re-embarked.

(Signed) BROWN.

The above is somewhat obscure, but it is interpreted at the departments to mean that the police force in Valparaiso is so well organized as to relieve foreign admirals from the further necessity of keeping their marines on shore duty.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The World prints in a Valparaiso special the statement that the insurgents owe their success in a great measure to the skill and experience of Col. Keopev, who was brought from Germany by the Chilian government as instructor in modern warfare, but who quarreled with Balmaceda and gave his services to the opposition.

The fighting was not only fierce but fiendish. The bodies of Balmacedan Generals Barbosa and Alcerreca, who fell in the hottest part of the engagement, were frightfully mutilated. At sundown a riotous mob of laborers, united with a rabble of deserters from the government, set on fire and looted many buildings on the outer ends of the city belonging to Balmaceda's partisans. Fourteen fires raged all night but are now under control. Two million dollars' worth of property has been destroyed. The city echoed all last night with rifle reports, and this morning the bodies of 200 rioters and pillagers littered the streets.

MUNICIPAL.

Notice is hereby given that the Deluge Fire Engine House property on Yates St., will be sold by Public Auction on Tuesday, 15th day of September instant, at the City Hall, at 11 a.m., in accordance with the provisions of the "Deluge Fire Engine House Sale By-Law," No. 2. The Corporation to retain free possession of the said property until the 1st day of January, 1892.

By order,
W. J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Hall, 1st Sept., 1891. se2

NOTICE

ALL PERSONS having claims against the James Bay Athletic Association will please send them in by Friday, Sept. 4th, to
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PERSONALS.

Douglas Dick returned home last night.

G. M. Browning, of Vancouver, is in town.

Thomas Ellis and wife left for California yesterday.

A. Colpland, England, is staying at the Turner.

Wm. Wilson returned from the mainland yesterday.

D. A. Donelson, of Portland, is stopping at the Oriental.

F. S. Barnard, M.P., has returned from the mainland.

R. Mitchell, M.D., of Tacoma, is a guest at the Oriental.

Miss Laidlaw came down from the mainland last evening.

J. M. Browning and E. McColl arrived down last evening.

M. E. Tobin and wife, of Chicago, Ill., are at the Turner.

E. A. McBean, East Sagniaw, Michigan, is a guest at the Turner.

W. H. Goodwin and wife, of Vancouver, are guests at the Oriental.

W. F. Kent, and family, of Vancouver, are guests at the Oriental.

Robert Grant and wife came down from Vancouver last evening.

J. W. McFarland and J. N. Spinks, of Vancouver, are at the Turner.

Prof. H. Strause, of San Francisco, took rooms at the Turner, yesterday.

E. E. Rand and H. P. Ceperley and wife came over from Vancouver last night.

Mr. Hugh McCutcheon, prop. Inland Sentinel, left for Kamloops last night.

Miss Hall, of Montreal, is the guest of her brother, T. B. Hall, president of the Board of Trade.

Right Rev. Bishops Perry and Walker left for the East, by the Yosemite, this morning.

A. E. Starr, of Sacramento, Cal., has been appointed assistant manager of the C.P.R. telegraph office.

P. A. Crossby, manager of the Dominion Type Foundry, of Montreal, arrived in town last night.

W. N. Mears, of the N.P.R., with headquarters at Tacoma, is in the city, stopping at the Turner.

Col. Alexander, Rev. T. H. Starbuck and Gid on Robertson were passengers by the Yosemite last night.

Rev. Dr. Percival, head master of the Rugby school, left yesterday morning for Vancouver, en route home.

W. B. Bowen and family party of seven, of San Francisco, arrived from the East by the C.P.R. last evening.

John Barnes, of New Westminster, one of the Royal Engineers who came to British Columbia in 1839, is dead.

W. P. Rich, of Tacoma, W. R. McClintock, of Seattle, and Johann Wulffsohn, of Vancouver, are at the Driard.

B. G. Walker, of Toronto, H. A. Wade, of Duluth, and T. J. Murton, of Minneapolis, are guests at the Driard.

John Clapperton, Government agent, Nicola, and wife were in town yesterday, and left last night on a trip North.

Wm. Angus, who has been in the hands of the hospital doctors for some weeks past, was able to make his appearance about town yesterday.

Rev. M. L. Rugg has returned from the North-West Baptist convention, which was recently held at Tacoma. He preached the inauguration sermon on "The Successes of Christianity."

Firemen Meet.

The officers and members of the Victoria fire department held a meeting last evening to make further arrangements for the coming tournament. They decided to construct one arch at the junction of two of the principal streets. Chief Deasy and Foremen Conlin, Hinds and McDowell were elected delegates to the convention. Committees were appointed to decorate the halls and apparatus, and a motion was unanimously carried to request the James Bay volunteer firemen to take part in the parade. At the conclusion of the meeting a motion was passed to form a firemen's coffee fund, and it was decided to hold monthly meetings of the department during the winter months. Mr. Ledingham kindly placed his carriage factory at the disposal of the firemen for the purpose of housing the reels of the visiting teams.

Libel Suit Against the Mail.

TORONTO, Sept. 1.—The Empire asserts that the work at the eastern entrance to Toronto harbor is being honestly and well done, and that the Mail, in stating they are being bungled, had been imposed upon. Murray and Cleveland, the contractors for the work, have instructed their lawyers to enter action for libel against the Mail.

Football.

TORONTO, Sept. 1.—A special cable from Belfast, Ireland, says that, on Saturday, the Linfield athletes defeated the American International football team by three goals to two.

Double Scull Race.

TORONTO, Sept. 1.—Teemer has consented to row double with Hugh Wise, of this city, in a race against Hanlan and O'Connor, at Point of Pines, Mass.

New Books.

Russian Traits and Terrors..... 35c
Maid Marian, by M. E. Seawell..... 50c
It Happened This Way..... 50c
A Group of Noble Dames.—Hardy..... 75
Anecdotal Life of Sir John A. Macdonald.. 50c
Those Western Girls, by Florence Ataden.. 30c
A Life for a Love.—L. T. Meade..... 30c
A Freak of Fate..... 30c
Harper's Magazine for September.....
Frank Leslie's Magazine for September....
For sale by T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

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The Art Gallery.

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EDUCATIONAL MATTERS.

Trustee McConnan's Charges not Proceeded With—Qualifications of the Teachers Endorsed.

Correspondence on Increased School Accommodation—Educational Provisions of the Trustees.

Exception Taken to the Employment of Monitors in the Higher Divisions.

The adjourned meeting of the Board of School Trustees was held last night, Mr. C. Hayward in the chair. There were present: Trustees Jessop, McLaughlin, McConnan, Richards and Morrow.

After the reading and adoption of minutes,

In answer to Trustee Richards, who complained of a communication having appeared in the COLONIST before it had been presented here,

The SECRETARY said that he had given to a COLONIST representative the purport of a letter which had appeared in that paper this morning.

It was ordered that communications be not given to the press in advance.

The secretary read a letter from the Deputy Provincial Secretary enclosing report of the Superintendent of Education on the application of the Board of Trustees to have certain teachers who had been provided for on the estimates placed at the disposal of the Board for employment at James Bay, Hill Side and Spring Ridge. The letter and report stated that to accede to the request of the Trustees was unadvisable, and that to do so would constitute an undesirable precedent; besides the teachers would be required in the schools for which they had been provided.

The communication was received.

A letter was presented from the Superintendent of Education in answer to a communication of the Board, declining to increase the number of grades in the central school, and saying that, as soon as the augmented accommodation recommended by the Council of Public Instruction had been provided, three additional monitors would be at the disposal of the Trustees.

TRUSTEE McLAUGHLAN said it had never been the desire of the board to have the number of grades in the Central school increased. All that it was wished to do was to divide the grades and carry them on with teachers of equal standing. He did not see the necessity of having the grades further divided and placed under monitors.

The communication was laid on the table.

Crane, McGregor & Boggs wrote asking for a share of the school insurance patronage. Received and placed on file.

Several applications for positions on the teaching staff were received and laid on the table.

Jacob Sehl wrote offering to supply the different schools with desks, as did also a Vancouver firm.

MR. M'CONNAN'S MOTION.

The next order was the consideration of Trustee McConnan's motion made at the last meeting of the board with respect to the qualification of teachers of the High school. This the board had determined should be inquired into, not by a committee of the whole, but at the next (the present) meeting of the board.

TRUSTEES RICHARDS and MORROW reflected upon the fact of Trustee McConnan having been unwilling to proceed with his charges before the Board, and called on him to state his charges.

TRUSTEE McCONNAN said he had made no charges. He had merely laid before the Board what he had been informed was the common opinion with regard to the teachers.

TRUSTEE MORROW said the teachers were here to answer the charges of Trustee McConnan, and it was not fair to treat them in this way.

TRUSTEE McCONNAN replied that he had made no charges. The teachers referred to were duly certificated; but the teacher of the second class, it was said, was not qualified to teach English. Perhaps it would be thought better to place him elsewhere, and similar questions had been raised with respect to others. The things he referred to had been distinctly stated to himself and to others.

In answer to the chairman,

TRUSTEE McCONNAN declined to state who had made the charges, or spoken to him on the subject. The members of the board had undertaken to alter his motion, so as to change the character of the inquiry, and he refused to go on.

The CHAIRMAN—Then it is nothing but tittle-tattle.

TRUSTEE McCONNAN—It is not tittle-tattle. The board has allowed statements to go abroad to the effect that he was afraid to proceed, and that he was under the control of Hon. Mr. Robson. There was no such thing, and he repudiated the reflection.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS said it was a duty which Trustee McConnan owed the public, to have a public inquiry. He ought to have satisfied himself as to the truth of the charges before he made them. But it was shown that there was no ground for the investigation. He was unable to produce proof, and his conduct in this matter was most unfair to the teachers, who courted inquiry. He would move "that inasmuch as Trustee McConnan declines to produce in public any proof to substantiate the statements made by him to the Board regarding the qualifications of the teachers of the High School; be it therefore resolved that in the opinion of the Board all the teachers of the High School are properly qualified by virtue of the certificates they now hold to fill the respective positions they occupy, and that they have the confidence of this Board." He added, that if at any time Trustee McConnan wished to inquire into the matter, he would meet with every assistance from the Board.

TRUSTEE MORROW seconded the resolution.

TRUSTEE McCONNAN said that this was what he had expected. He had nothing to retract. It was quite possible for teachers to have certificates and yet not be qualified to teach the classes in certain rooms. Teachers should be fully qualified for the work, and if their qualifications were assailed they should be inquired into. If the board were not prepared to take up the matter in committee of the whole he declined to go on.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS held that it was the duty of the Superintendent of Education to see that teachers were qualified, and if they were not qualified they ought not to teach.

TRUSTEE JESSOP said that it might not have been good policy for Trustee McConnan to have made his charges, but there should be no vote of censure passed on him on this account. Two wrongs did not make a right, and it was not right for Trustee Richards to bring on a vote of censure. It would be decidedly better to let the matter drop. He was not disposed to vote in favor of the motion.

TRUSTEE McLAUGHLAN contended that there was no necessity tu have a vote. The teachers had their qualifications certified by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, and they had, in addition, the confidence of the Board. He was prepared to allow Mr. McConnan or any other trustee to hold an investigation, and he was not prepared to vote a censure upon any member for expressing his opinion, holding, as he did, his right to bring up the conduct of any teacher, if he saw fit. On the other hand, if any member forgot himself and acted in an improper manner, he should be prepared to pass a vote of censure upon him.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS—This is not a vote of censure.

The motion was carried.

In regard to the investigation of last week into the charges preferred by Mr. J. P. McLeod, principal of the High school,

TRUSTEE McLAUGHLAN said that he considered, though there had been other witnesses to examine, that there had been brought out all that was necessary, sufficient for the trustees to form their conclusions upon. He had therefore prepared the following series of resolutions, which he had based upon the evidence:

"1—That this Board finds, on investigation, that the city schools are too often graded, not according to the attainments of the scholars, but according to the capacities of the school buildings.

"2—That the High school was unsatisfactorily examined at the end of last term, that it is badly graded, and that, contrary to precedent, the principal has been deprived of the privilege of grading it.

"3—This Board deprecates the practice of the Education Department, at the half-yearly examinations of the schools, in making use of teachers of a lower grade to examine teachers' work of a higher grade, "mainly with the view that the Department may determine how well each teacher has performed his duties, and whether intelligent instruction has been given.

"4—That it is not in the interest of city schools that, contrary to the method of the Educational Department formerly, the written replies of pupils at the last half-yearly examinations are withheld from the inspection of teachers.

"5—That as the practices mentioned in the foregoing resolutions show evils inimical to the education of the rising generation of this city, this board respectfully begs that the Hon. the Council of Public Instruction will take steps to prevent a recurrence of the evils mentioned, and thereby maintain, in public estimation, that confidence in a school system, which, in this city, has been hitherto its boast and pride.

"6—That a copy of the foregoing be forwarded to the Council of Public Instruction."

TRUSTEE McLAUGHLAN remarked that the last resolution contained the principles which all acknowledged, and brought them before the Council of Instruction for it to deal with the matter as it thought fit. The provincial system was an excellent one, and a member of this Board had reason to look back with pride to having been connected with its inception. We had a system superior to many, equalled by few and almost surpassed by none. The gentleman he referred to had every reason to be looked on as the father of that system.

TRUSTEE JESSOP seconded the resolution, remarking that it seemed to him that the deductions had been correctly drawn. No harm could come from passing it, and, perhaps, good would come from it. It was our duty to safeguard and increase the efficiency of our system. He felt flattered by the reference made to him by Trustee McLaughlan. The resolution put an end to what had been a lengthened and disagreeable matter.

The resolution was adopted.

The communication of assistant Provincial Secretary Reddie on the subject of the placing of the teachers provided for in the appropriations, at the disposal of the Board, and the offer to supply additional monitors having come up, a long discussion took place, in which exception was taken to the employment of monitors in the higher divisions, which ought to be controlled by teachers of equal qualifications. It was resolved that the architect be instructed to prepare plans for the enlargement of the James Bay, Spring Ridge and Hillside schools by next meeting.

Tenders were opened for the Victoria West School, and action upon them deferred to next meeting.

The Board adjourned till Tuesday next.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Sep. 1.—At four o'clock this afternoon the sale of tickets for Sara Bernhardt's performances amounted to $3,300, this amount being sold in this city alone.

An electric car ran from Westminster to the city boundary, to-day, on the Westminster and Vancouver tramway, on an experimental trip, which was very satisfactory.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Sept. 1.—The ss. Tai Chow sailed this morning with a cargo of coal.

The ss. Wellington arrived this morning.

The foreign coal shipments for the month of August are as follows:

	Tons.
New V. C. Co.	35,924
Wellington	21,901
East Wellington	3,092
Union Mine	14,300
Total	75,217

The official returns of the Nanaimo customs house for the month of August are $9,482.18.

JOHN DOHERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER.

Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Mr. Doughty, cor. Blanchard and Fort streets, Fell & Co.'s, Fort street, or Cochrane & Munn's, Yates and Douglas sts, will be promptly attended to. Wood and Coal for sale. ap2-1y

IMPORTANT DRY GOODS SALE.

$50,000 STOCK TO BE SACRIFICED

By order of the Executors, to wind up the estate of H. Brown, deceased.

The general public, in full appreciation of a bona fide Dry Goods Sale, throng our Store daily, without disappointment, for the best bargains ever obtained in Victoria are secured. We do not announce any further reduction, for we are down to the lowest possible figure, but we shall maintain the present rate until the whole stock is disposed of. A brilliant stock of Fall Mantles, Jackets, Ulster and Shoulder Capes, bought specially for the high class Victoria trade, will arrive soon and will be placed immediately on the sacrificial altar of a genuine Clearing Out Sale.

BROWN & WHITE, ALBION HOUSE, GOV'T ST.

METHODIST EXTENSION.

Laying of the Foundation Stone of the Centennial Methodist Church on the Gorge Road.

Addresses by Ministers of Other Denominations—Evidences of Good Christian Fellowship.

The ceremonies attendant on the laying of the foundation stone of the new "Centennial" Methodist church on the Gorge Road were remarkable for the signs of good Christian fellowship which they evidenced and for the heartiness with which the members and adherents of the church and their friends entered into the spirit of the proceedings. The pastor of the church, Rev J. H. White, presided over the services, and on the platform with him were Hon. John Robson, the Venerable Bishop Cridge, Revs. P. McF. Macleod, M. L. Rugg, Joseph Hall, C. W. Townsend, Coverdale Watson and J. E. Gardiner, Messrs. Noah Shakespeare, D. Spencer, A. J. McLellan, Dr. Bull (Toronto), T. Hooper, T. G. Rayner, J. Thomas, W. H. Bone, M. Humber, Thomas Bradbury, etc., with many ladies. After a few remarks by the Rev. J. H. White, the congregation sang the 672d hymn, Rev. Joseph Hall leading in prayer. Rev. Coverdale Watson having read the 132d Psalm,

Mr. James Gray read the contents of the box which was to be placed under the foundation stone. In it were a Bible, copies of the minutes of the British Columbia Conference, 1891, of the Christian Guardian, Methodist Magazine, COLONIST and Times, a book in Chinook, certified lists of the officials of the church, some 130 cards used by the Sunday school children in collecting the first sums raised for the church building fund, &c.

Mr. A. J. McLellan, on behalf of the Trustees, presented Mrs. David Spencer, who had consented to lay the stone, with a handsome silver trowel, inscribed: "Presented to Mrs. David Spencer by the Trustees of the Centennial Methodist Church, Gorge Road, Victoria, British Columbia, on the occasion of laying the corner stone. September 1st, 1891." Mr. McLellan also handed over, on behalf of the contractors, Messrs. Bradbury & Stewart, a mallet bearing a plate inscribed, "Centennial Methodist Church, 1891."

The stone having been placed in position, Mrs. Spencer, accompanied by her husband, stepped to the front, and the mortar having been spread, she formally completed the work of laying the stone, saying:

"In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, I lay this corner stone for the foundation of a house to be builded and consecrated to Almighty God, according to the order and usages of the Methodist Church. Amen. It gives me very great pleasure to be here upon this occasion, and I pray that this church about to be erected may be a great blessing to a great many people, and also that it may be a spiritual home for God's people throughout all generations."

Rev. Mr. White spoke of the extreme gratification it afforded him to see the hearty response which had been given to the invitation of the trustees. He called upon

Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge to deliver a few remarks. The Bishop began by a reference to his former ministerial associations with the father of the pastor of the church, Rev. Edward White, who had introduced Methodism to this province. He spoke of his previous reminiscences of those early associations, and then dwelt upon the gratifying significance of the fact that another church had become necessary on the Gorge road. He hoped that the church would be favored with such blessings, that there should not be room to contain them.

Rev. Mr. White, in calling upon Hon. Mr. Robson, spoke of the hearty manner in which he had co-operated with the Methodists, having personally helped in the actual construction of one of the first churches at Westminster.

Hon. John Robson observed that he had very special pleasure in being here, in view of the reminiscences referred to by Rev. Mr. White. He had been, he was happy to say, intimately associated with the first church at Westminster, and upon the mainland, having chopped down trees for it and with his own hands assisted in building it. He had had many personal and pleasant associations with early Methodism and its first minister, whose single-mindedness and devotion had worked an immense amount of good on the mainland. Within the last few weeks he had had the honor of being connected with the laying of the foundation stone of a Presbyterian church in Victoria West, and to-day he was taking part in a similar ceremony among the Methodists. He was pleased, and well pleased, to witness the manner in which differences among church organizations were being merged and that clergy and people were joining hand in hand to present an unbroken phalanx to the common enemy. He referred to the wonderful progress that was being made in church building and said that no better augury for the future could be found than this. It was an indication of the best kind of progress. Disappointment had been expressed at the results of the census of the Dominion as a whole. But it showed that British Columbia was in every respect making progress. There was additional cause for thankfulness to God on account of the good progress which was here being made in church building, filling churches and in the evanglization of the people. There could, he continued, be no greater compliment paid to the pastor than was found in the fact that in the second year of his pastorate it should have been found necessary to build a new church. He recalled the building of the old edifice when Rev. Mr. Watson had sold its debts by auction, but he never thought that so soon a larger building would be required. The religious progress of Victoria was of a very satisfactory character, the Presbyterians, Methodists and Episcopalians were branching out in every direction, and with such united gatherings as there had been at Victoria West and here gave full confidence and hope that the Kingdom of Jesus Christ was advancing rapidly, and that all the denominations were enlisted together and were fighting for the one cause, and for their one King Jesus.

Addresses were delivered by Revs. P. McF. Macleod, M. L. Rugg, Joseph Hall and Coverdale Watson.

The doxology having been sung, the Benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Townsend.

The collection taken up was a very liberal one.

THE KELLY BROTHERS.

The Notorious Smugglers Make a Risky Trip Across the Straits—In Peril of Their Lives.

(Seattle Telegraph),

The customs officers at Port Townsend recently seized the schooner U. & I., charged with smuggling opium and Chinese. There are three vessels, all small sized crafts, and all of them have a shady reputation. Two of the vessels are sloops and the other one a schooner. All of the vessels are known to belong to the Kelly Brothers, two of the most notorious and daring smugglers that ever outwitted the customs officers of Puget Sound. Larry Kelly, the leader, is now serving a term of two years on McNeil's Island, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $5,000, imposed by Judge Hanford.

Just before Larry was convicted of smuggling, about two months ago, himself and brother, Jack Kelly, had a most exciting adventure while crossing over from British Columbia with a sloop, the U. & I., laden with Chinese and opium.

The schooner U. & I. left the outer wharf at Victoria laden with 18 Chinese and a considerable amount of opium. Scarcely had the vessel gotten into the straits before the revenue cutter Oliver Wolcott was observed approaching from towards Port Townsend, and two steam launches from other directions. A couple of hours later darkness would be on, and the smuggler immediately headed for the Straits of Georgia, and a "spanking" breeze easily carried her out of sight of the revenue cutter. Kelly knew his vessel had been spotted by the officers of the revenue cutter and that it was useless for him to take any chances in the schooner, and he decided to transfer his contraband cargo to one of his sloops then at anchor in a well-secreted cove, among the lower Sound islands, and run his schooner into Port Townsend, and then allow the customs officers to seize the schooner if they chose, and thereby endeavor to throw the officers off the trail of the sloop loaded with opium and Chinese. The ruse was successfully worked.

The sloop left the cove about midnight, and as she was squaring away for Whidby Island she ran almost under the bow of the cutter Wolcott. The cutter gave chase and mistook the schooner which was going to Port Townsend for the sloop, and the former vessel was followed into that port and captured. A heavy storm from the westward commenced, and the sloop was in a dangerous sea. A squall struck the little craft, and before the occupants recovered their senses the sloop was capsized and four of the Chinese were drowned. The water was fairly alive with human beings.

Kelly was cool and calmly gave commands to his crew, two white men. Each of the men had an iron pin with which they hammered off the Chinese and drove them around to one side of the capsized sloop, when she righted. The hatches had been fastened down, and but very little water had gotten into the hold.

The gale continued and frightful swells broke over the little vessel with such rapidity that every sea seemed as if it would send every soul to Davy Jones' locker. The Chinese were huddled together, screeching and yelling like madmen, holding on to the railing of the boat for their lives.

As a piece of canvas was fastened to the mast for a sail and the sloop was standing off before the wind, a heavy sea washed another Chinaman off into the boiling sea.

Without further mishap they reached Roche Harbor shortly after daylight, and then the storm had subsided. The Chinese were crowded into the hold of the sloop, and Kelly, under the guise of a farmer, hailed W. B. Spencer, deputy collector of customs, and asked that he get him an anchor for his sloop and some light provisions. The obliging officer did as requested, not dreaming of the prize almost within his grasp. The sloop departed for Whidby Island, where the cargo was landed. Kelly lost three valuable rifles when his boat capsized, besides several other things. Kelly's two men left the business with a fully determined vow never to risk their lives again in such an enterprise.

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KOKSILAH	38	" 1.19	" 6.06
DUNCAN'S	40	" 1.23	" 6.02
SOMENOS	43	" 1.27	" 5.58
CHEMAINUS	52	" 1.40	" 5.45
NANAIMO	73	" 2.10 P.M	" 5.15
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DUNCAN'S	43	" 9.31	" 5.04
KOKSILAH	47	" 9.44	" 5.14
McPHERSON'S	52	" 9.57	" 5.29
COBBLE HILL	55	" 10.07	" 5.39
SHAWNIGAN LE	58	" 10.12	" 5.44
GOLDSTREAM	62	" 10.22	" 5.54
ESQUIMALT	71	" 10.32	" 6.04
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STUTTERING SCHOLARS.

Large Numbers of Them in the Public Schools of Germany.

Some alarm has been created in Germany by the recent publication of the official report and statistics of education, which show that among the children now attending the public schools in Emperor William's dominions there are no less than eighty thousand afflicted with the defect of speech known as stammering. The city of Breslau alone, says the Chicago Mail, contributes a quota of twenty-four hundred stuttering children to the total; and in some places the number of stammerers attains the large proportion of ten per cent. of the school attendance.

Realizing the growth as well as the gravity of the mischief, the German government has for some months past devoted considerable attention to the subject, and has gathered together much interesting information about the matter. The most valuable report is that contributed by Dr. Gutzmann, so well known throughout the world for his successful teachings of deaf mutes, and whose absence from the international convention of instructors of deaf mutes recently in session in New York was a matter of sincere regret to the delegates.

According to Dr. Gutzmann, whose report has been adopted and published by the German government, involuntary mimicry plays a great part in stuttering. Like yawning, it is catching. The quicker a child is and the more initative, the more apt it is to imbibe any defects of speech on the part of those by whom it is surrounded. Conclusive evidence of the contagious nature of stammering is to be found in the fact that the number of stutterers in a school increases steadily as the children pass upward from class to class. In the public schools of Berlin, for instance, the number of stammerers among the children in the lowest class was 0.52 of the total force of the class. This proportion rose from year to year, as the children passed upward in the educational scale, until in the highest class the percentage was discovered to be 1.61, or more than three times the number found when the same children were in the lowest class.

Comprehending that it would be only with special care and particular precaution on the part of the teachers that the public schools could be prevented from becoming centers for the propagation of the grave defect of stuttering, the German government has encouraged Dr. Gutzmann to start a special course of scientific instruction for public school-teachers showing them how to deal with the stammerers, and the public schools in all parts of Germany have now sent teachers to Berlin for the purpose of acquiring Dr. Gutzmann's method. So satisfied is the emperor with the latter that he has taken a leading part in securing its general adoption by all the educational institutions in his dominions.

THE "BEAU BRUMMELL" TIP.

Hints to Those Who Wish to Acquire the Latest Mode of Salutation.

If a young gentleman feels that it is his imperative duty to be thoroughly conversant with all the latest kinks, fads and wrinkles of modern society, says the Cleveland Leader, he must at once learn the "Beau Brummell" style of tipping the hat. This is an acquired art, as a relish for olives is an acquired taste to most people. The best way to become familiar with the new style is to stand in front of a mirror and practice steadily for a week or two. At the end of that time it is barely possible that the pupil will know his lesson well. The rules for the new style, as laid down by one of Cleveland's brightest young society men are as follows:

Never undertake to tip your hat unless the left foot is well in front of the right. That brings your body in a graceful position and will commend you at once to the favorable observation of any young lady who has a knowledge of the principles of the Delsarte system.

Bring the right hand, if the lady is on your left side, in a graceful curve to the brim of the hat. Be sure that your hand describes a curve, otherwise the motion will be similar to half a dozen others associated with matters of the head. For instance, an abrupt angular motion might delude the young woman into believing that you intended to pluck a cinder from your eye.

Grasp the hat lightly by the brim, being sure that the little finger of the hand thus employed sticks up at what might be termed an aristocratic angle.

Gently remove the hat and bring it forward at a height of two inches above your head until an imaginary line describing the angle with your body would terminate at the third vest button.

Smile with aristocratic grace.

Incline your head slightly as the favored one passes and move the lips a trifle as though extending a greeting, being careful, however, not to appear audibly until the young lady has first addressed you.

This may look like an easy trick, but it is really something very hard to master and perform with excellence; so those say that have attempted it. Of one thing, however, the young men may be assured. That is, that very much of their standing in "dudedom" depends upon being able to do the "Beau Brummell" tip. There are a number of young gentlemen who promenade up and down every afternoon in the Arcade, practicing the new thing before the show windows, and observing their reflections in the glass.

Marriages in St. Petersburg.

The statistics for the year 1889 show that in that year 6,290 marriages were contracted in St. Petersburg. Men between the ages of 26 and 30 years marrying women of 21-25 formed the largest proportion of the above number; next in proportion came men of 31-35 marrying women of 21-25; least in proportion were men over 60 years old marrying women of the ages 51-55 years. Most of the marriages took place in the month of January; May was the next month propitious of marriage; in June the least number of marriages were contracted.

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Beautiful Building Lot, Hillside Ave., corner, 100x100 2,000

108—3
4 Lots, 2 Houses, garden, etc., Fernwood Road 3,500

107—1
Lot and new 2-story 8-room house, bath and hot and cold water, &c 2,850

92-5
¾ Acre, Esquimalt Road; good land; on car line. 2,650

88—5
2 Lots, Government St. North, and buildings.. 12,000

79—3
2 Lots, Johnson St. East; corner; good view.. 2,100

76—1
6 Acres, fronting the Arm; beautiful building site 12,000

Corner Lot, Douglas St., with buildings 50,000

66
160 Acres, new and modern house, improvements, garden, orchard and cultivated land, river front, good fishing, close to railway.. 12,000

1 Acre, Grass field, corner of Oak Bay Avenue and Richmond Road, on car line 3,000

117—1
HOMESTEAD—

11½ Acres, 4 miles from city, all fenced; river running through the property.

Dwelling House, 6 rooms and pantry, shiplap and hard finish; never-failing spring close to house.

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112—5
Lot, Victoria West 600

110—2
House and Lot, Pembroke St 1,100

109—2
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104—3
153 Acres, good land, Quamichan Dist 650

105—1
Beautiful Garden and Grounds, one acre, house, stable, outbuildings, etc., James Bay 10,000

99—1
Farm plots near Ladner's Landing, sizes to suit, per acre 80

73 Acres Water Front on Burrard Inlet 8,500

96—1
¾ Acre, Garden, House, etc, Russell's Station... 3,600

95—2
3,440 Acres, firstclass timber and farming land, in one or more lots 100,000

95—1
¼ Acre, South Road 900

93—3
176 Acres, Cobble Hill Station, per acre 15

58
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160 Acres Shawnigan; Log House 16x24, and outbuildings, 10 acres chopped, seeded and cleared; river through the land 1,700

111
One Acre Lot Facing the Straits, with Beach Frontage ..... $ 1,500

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104—2
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45—1
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52—2
Farm and building, 98 acres, 3 miles from railway, Cobble Hill. Price 2,500

103—4
6-room house and lot, 60x120, Meares St., near Vancouver 3,000

110—4
4½ Acres, more or less, Fernwood Estate, suitable for sub-division into building lots....

120—2
132 Acres, along water front and small clearing, West Saanich Road. Price per acre 25

123—2
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A STUDY IN SOUNDS.

Telegraphers Who Reveal Characteristics by the Ticks of Their Machines.

The telegraph operators of this city are noted the world over as experts, says the Philadelphia Record. Not only are they masters of their art as a class, but many of them have developed the wonderful faculty of reading character by the sharp ticks that emanate from the little brass instruments. For instance, any old-time operator who ranks as a first-rater can tell by the tick of the machine in Philadelphia what manner of man is at the other end of the wire, no matter whether he be in Chicago, New York or any other distant city. Just as bank cashiers recognize the signatures of old customers, so do telegraphers identify friends by their "sending" or writing.

The fast, jerky sender who stops every few minutes to tighten this screw or loosen that spring or to talk with his deskmate easily tells the receiver that he is a nervous, irresponsible young man of little experience and less judgment; he warns the receiver to be on constant watch for errors, for which he will shirk any responsibility. Without having definite reason to say so, the receiver will not hesitate to assert that such a sender would lie himself out of any difficulty that might arise.

The fearless, manly telegrapher is the man who sends even, well-spaced Morse, fast, of course, but steady withal, and sends "all the time." This man seldom has "cases." He impresses the receiver at once that he is invariably correct. He never stops for bad copy, because he always reads a message ahead of the one he is sending, and returns any he cannot decipher to the clerks before starting it. This sort of a man has a friend in every office. All the students and operators in way stations know him. They recognize his sending and appeal to him as would a child to an older brother.

The sneak is quickly discovered and promptly "roasted." He sends slowly and with an aggravating drag. He never swears on the wire, which, by the way, is certain to be rewarded by dismissal if reported, although a majority of operators are more or less profane. While this man may not have been in the business at the time of any strike, he is certain to be called a "scab" by all the out-of-town men, with whom he has frequent spats.

Practical jokers and witty men are generally indifferent operators, but usually have a reputation reaching from San Francisco to Boston, which always secures them work at good salaries. Their characteristics are denoted by the small amount of business they handle, notwithstanding the fact that they seem to work every minute. They make all sorts of blunders and worry the receiver sick, depending upon their good humor and new stories to square matters.

Dude operators, like their funny brethren, are poor artists, but they are fortunate in acquiring "reputations." They never need tell the receiver that they love dress and think of little else. Their frequent stops and silly chatter between messages tells it for them. After six months working with an operator of this sort the receiver could describe him almost to a positive exactness without ever having seen him or heard him described.

Surly, morose, and tramp operators are alike as to ability. They are all fine telegraphers. Their characters are well defined by silence, and they are distinguished one from the other by bits of information regarding other cities dropped from day to day by the tramps. They tell their story when they correct errors discovered in the addresses of messages relaying from one city to another, and by suggesting some word to take the place of one badly written by some newspaper man whose "copy" they have "handled."

Lady operators are identified by the lightness of their sending, few of them being able to work on long distance wires. On this account "Clara" is a favorite name for light senders of either sex, and their character as well as their sex is revealed by their constant anxiety and overfaithfulness, as well as by their disposition to talk.

Few people understand why telegraphers use so much and such a variety of slang. This is easily accounted for. The men in New York and San Francisco communicate all the latest phrases to Chicago, from which point Galveston, Denver, New Orleans, and Ogden receive the "new talk," and the forces at Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Richmond and Boston acquire their stock from New York. In this way a bright saying heard by an operator in New York is repeated the world over the same day, as the cable operators are quite as slangy as the rest of the craft.

ABOUT IMAGINATION.

Practical and Opportune Settlement of a Very Abstruse Question.

Sitting in a cafe last evening I heard two men discussing the philosophy of imagination, says a writer in the New York Continent. Each was an imaginary master of his own peculiar theory.

"I tell you," said one, a venerable-looking gentleman with refined and intelligent features, "imagination is a myth. The word has no basis. It deals in intangible things. It is a monstrosity. The word 'imagination' should be eliminated from the dictionary; it means nothing."

"Imagination is ideality," remarked his companion. "It deals in images of the mind. These images are distinct mental shapes; therefore they are things. The world would be a barren place if there were no imagination. Therefore, I say, 'imagination' is a good word. It must remain in any complete dictionary."

The dispute began to wax noisy. Just then the proprietor happened along. His imagination began to work. "I imagine," said he, "that you two have talked enough. Now skip."

The contentious pair moved out. And the champion of imagination, as a significant Anglo-Saxon word, was heard whispering to his companion:

"I tell you, imagination is a fact. That man's remark proves it."

And his companion simply remarked: "Correct."

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THE YOUNG EMPEROR.

The subject of the character sketch in the August number of the Review of Reviews is William II., Emperor of Germany. Mr. Stead gives a lively description of the young Emperor, and makes him resemble a sensational journalist, "born in the purple," Lord Randolph Churchill, Napoleon Bonaparte and General Gordon. The reader gets a little puzzled as he proceeds, and almost fears that he will, before the writer is done tracing resemblances, declare that the young German ruler so fond of show and, having such a liking for theatrical effect, reminded him of no one so much as Boulanger. But he did not commit that absurdity, although at times he appeared to be on the very verge of perpetrating some such atrocious blunder.

The editor of the Review of Reviews is impressed with the Emperor's wonderful activity and the very high opinion he has of himself, and of the work he has been called to do. He has not yet made up his mind whether he is a man of genius or not, or whether he is in earnest in what he says with respect to his desire to keep the peace in Europe. He says:

"There is a certain overstrained emphasis about the pacific protestions of the young Teutonic Mars which make us uneasy. Methinks the Kaiser doth protest too much."

After quoting one of the Emperor's strong declarations, that with the assistance of Heaven he will be able to govern his country in peace, Mr. Stead goes on to say:—

"If one were only God Almighty all would go well! No doubt. But when one is not God Almighty? Ah, then, accidents will happen even in the best regulated families. And if, through any untoward event, which can only be too easily imagined, this impulsive young man were to arrive at one of his firm convictions that peace could only be attained through war, why then, who knows how soon, relying upon the assistance of Heaven, he might plunge for war as heavily as he now plunges for peace. He is the crowned plunger of the Continent, and a plunger who can carry three millions of armed fighting men with him into the abyss is a portent indeed."

This is not a little uncharitable, and looks very much as if the writer was writing for effect rather than with a sincere desire to come at the plain and prosaic truth with respect to the character and aims of the German Emperor. Would it not have been better to take the Kaiser at his word, and give him credit for really desiring peace, and of being prepared to make some sacrifices to insure its continuance. He has, since he began to feel the responsibilities of his position, spoken so often and so earnestly of his love of peace and of his hope that it should continue that it appears both unreasonable and uncharitable to conclude that he does not mean what he says, and that, behind his professions and protestations, there is a longing for military distinction and a hope that the opportunity may come that will enable him to show to the world that he has inherited the military genius of the most gifted and the most renowned of the Hohenzollerns. His short speech at the Guildhall, London, only a few weeks ago, was so simple and so apparently sincere that it appears almost wicked to suppose that it was not conceived in the most perfect good faith. He said:—

"My aim is above all the maintenance of peace, for peace alone can give the confidence which is necessary to the healthy development of science and trade. Only as long as peace reigns are we at liberty to bestow earnest thoughts upon the great problems, the solution of which in fairness and equity I consider the most prominent duty of our times. You may rest assured, therefore, that I shall continue to do my best to maintain, and constantly to increase, the good relations between Germany and other nations, and that I shall always be found ready to unite with you in a common labor for peaceful progress, friendly intercourse, and the advancement of civilization."

These words were worthy the ruler of a great nation, who realizes the blessings of peace and who knows what suffering and misery war brings in its train. The estimate of the German Emperor's character sent to the editor by "An observer in Berlin" seems to us much more just than the one Mr. Stead has formed. It is this:

"I believe in him. He seems to be a man with a very good head upon his shoulders, and a desire to do what is right. He is headstrong, and has complete confidence in himself. Whether this be a defect or an advantage depends upon his wisdom. Strange to say, being a German, he is not a doctrinaire. He has the feeling that as head of the nation, it is his duty to guide it, and, as far as he can, to inflict his will upon it, but, in carrying out this view, he will not be guided by simple theories. He will take circumstances into account, and show judgment as well as an inflexibility of purpose. His general life is guided by a high standard. He represses, as far as he can, by example, all the usual vices of society; is a good husband and father; and one of his aims is to give a healthy, moral tone, wherever his influence reaches. He submits to no influence, and I am not quite sure that he is not a little hard and a little hasty in his judgments about persons and their actions. His line is a little too hardly drawn. If a man is not above it, he is below it, and very few are constantly above."

This is the picture of a good man, and, if it resembles the Emperor of Germany, his reign cannot but be beneficial to his subjects in many ways; and, from what we can see, it is, in its main features, the estimate which the world at large, having for their data his public acts, is forming of the Kaiser.

NOT A PROPHET.

The Times on Monday based its leading article on some political predictions ventured by the Toronto Globe. Those who place any reliance on the prophetic powers of the chief Liberal organ must have an extraordinary capacity for believing. The confident predictions of that paper have so often proved to be so absurdly wide of the mark that it is reasonable to conclude that what it foretells will not only not come to pass, but that something else entirely different will be sure to happen. The Globe predicts that there will be a general election before the end of the year, and the credulous Times greedily swallows the extraordinary prophesy at a single gulp. It does not wait to ask one question, or to express a single doubt. Although the journal that could speak so confidently of the Government's intentions must be in its confidence, and although every one outside the lunatic asylums knows that the Globe is the last paper in the Dominion to which state secrets would be imparted, our evening contemporary evidently presumes that it has obtained information that has been denied to the men and the journals supporting the administration. For it must be presumed that our contemporary believes that the prediction is based on information obtained in some wonderful way. It surely does not expect its intelligent readers to place any reliance on the random guesses of the Toronto organ. That would, indeed, be to take for granted that they do not possess the faintest glimmering of common sense.

The conjectures of the Times itself would be entitled to as much respect as the groundless surmises of the discredited Toronto Globe. If our contemporary is going into the guessing business, it should do so on its own account. It is quite as able to see through a millstone as its Toronto co-laborer in the Liberal cause, and its vaticinations are quite as likely to prove to be true. It is hardly possible to imagine anything more improbable or anything more unworthy the serious attention of any sensible man than the rumor that the Government, which is only a few months old, and which since its formation has been, by no act of its own, plunged into a slough of serious difficulties, should of its own free choice appeal to the country. It has cut out for itself some very important work, and it is altogether improbable that it will dissolve Parliament before it has given itself the chance of seeing whether or not it can be done.

Mr. Abbott will not go to the country until he has proved his ability to re-organize the civil service, and place it on a sounder basis than that on which it now rests, and has done something towards making it impossible for a combination of contractors, politicians and civil servants to rob the people. The indications are that the Government will address itself vigorously to this task, and not rest until it is completed. There is not the faintest indication anywhere that a general election, within a year, is contemplated. The theories and expectations that are based upon an early appeal to the people are, therefore, mere castles in the air, which will soon disappear like what they are, the baseless fabric of the vision of a shallow-brained partisan.

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia in Divorce and Matrimonial Causes.

Thomas Wright Scott.....Petitioner.
and
Elizabeth Scott.....Respondent.
John McCartney.....Co-Respondent.

IN OBEDIENCE to a Writ of *Fi. Fa.*, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in Divorce and Matrimonial Causes, at Victoria, dated the 4th day of August, 1891, and to me directed in the above-named suit for the sum of $1,523.40, debt, together with interest upon said sum at the rate of six per centum per annum from the 7th day of April, 1891, besides sheriff's poundage, fees and other expenses of the execution, I have seized and will sell by public auction at the front of my office, Court House, Bastion Street, in the City of Victoria, on Monday, the 7th day of September, 1891, at 12 o'clock noon, the land belonging to the said John McCartney, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the judgment debt and expenses of this action.

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Monday, September 7, 1891, at 12 o'clock noon.	At Sheriff's Office, Court House, Bastion Street.

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The judgment herein was registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, against said lands, the 17th day of April, 1891, at 1:20 p.m.

J. E. M'MILLAN,
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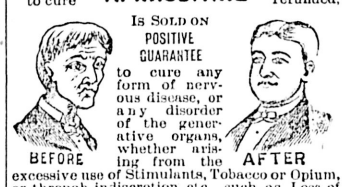

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WANTED — An experienced bookkeeper wants a position. References furnished by addressing Bookkeeper, P. O. Box 161, Victoria. au6

WANTED—Party going out of millinery fancy goods business, wants purchaser for that branch of trade, who will continue the same, in an interior town. No charge for good will of business. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. au6

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VACANCY for a few boarders. Day boarders at moderate rates. Revere House, 169 Pandora Avenue. au2 1m

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LOST—$5 Reward for the recovery of fox-terrier puppy, black and tan head, white body with black spots and short tail. Return to 20 Scoresby St. au25

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FOR SALE—A BARGAIN.—Two well finished houses, renting at $30 per month. Apply 16 Green street. sep 1-2t

TO LET—A RARE CHANCE.—The half of store now occupied by Messrs. Hastie & Erskine, on Government street, with upstairs if preferred. Apply ROBT. G. HOWELL—the Picture Store—34 Government street. sep 1-tf

TO LET—House and 1 1-5 acres of land on Gorge Road, fronting on the Arm. Seven rooms and bath room. Hot and cold water laid on. Stable for horse and cow; and servant's room, etc. In addition to water from city mains, there are two wells of water on the premises. Twenty minutes walk from tramway. Apply to E. M. Johnson, corner Government and Broughton Streets. au11

FOR SALE—A horizontal Engine, 70 H.P. 11x18, by Goldie & McCulloch, can be seen at work. Apply Vancouver Manufacturing and Trading Co. au29 6t

TO LET—Two neatly furnished front rooms, with use of kitchen if required. Apply to 139 Michigan Street, James Bay. au27

TO LET—Large Store, fine basement, light and dry, in new Pierre block, Douglas St., near City Hall. C. F. Collins, 66 Douglas Street. au27 10t

TO LET—At "The Turner," 66 Douglas St., sunny rooms, suites and single by day, week or month. Electric light, bath, etc. The best furnished house in city; entirely respectable. au27 1m

TO LET—Nearly new two-story house, containing 8 rooms and bath room, with hot and cold supply; conservatory and large garden; 150 yards from Trams and 250 yards from sea; rent $26. F. F. Hedges, 221 Simcoe St., between Montreal and St. Lawrence Streets. au27-6t

TO LET—Furnished room, with use of other part of house. Piano, Cabinet Grand, fine instrument, for sale cheap. Apply at 247 Yates St. au26-1m

FOR SALE—Carpets and Furniture in 16 room lodging house; fine corner; central; occupied in part as offices. Carpets new. Everything in fine order. One half cash; balance easy payments. Call at 98 Yates Street, over Cochrane & Munn's Drug Store. au25-10t

FURNISHED ROOMS, with or without board; five minutes walk from post office. Apply No. 73 Discovery st. au25 1m

FURNISHED Apartments to let; two minutes from street car. Apply at 138 Blanchard Avenue, city. au25-6t

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET at from $6 monthly, or by the day or week, next door to Fullerton's Boot Store, 103 Government Street. de7

TO LET—15 Bellot St. (near Burdett Ave.) nearly new house on full sized lot; eight rooms and bath room; rent $27.50 a month. J. A. T., Caton, 17 Yates St. au19-1m

FOR LEASE—Temperance Hotel of fifty rooms, in new brick building, known as the Janion Hotel. Apply to Chas. Rattray, 23 Store Street. au11-1m

TO LET — A comfortably furnished front room on line of tram cars. Home comforts. Apply 208 Douglas St. au11-1m

TO LOAN—On mortgage in one month from date, about $12,000. Apply by letter to A. B., Box 78, Victoria. jy28

TO LET—Two furnished rooms. Apply 28 Rock Bay Avenue. ap18

TO LET—FOR FOUR MONTHS, A PARTLY furnished house, Head street, Esquimalt road; three rooms, with kitchen and dairy, on ground floor; bedroom and dressing-room and three bedrooms and bath-room on second floor; use of tennis court. For further particulars enquire of F. G. Walker, 20 Chancery Lane. je6

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Nanaimo	$ 233,391 00
New Westminster	255,055 00
Vancouver	697,600 00
Victoria	**3,193,226 00**

EXPORTS—1890.

Nanaimo	$ 1,934,541 00
New Westminster	201,749 00
Vancouver	483,885 00
Victoria	**3,143,289 00**

DUTY PAID—1890.

Nanaimo	$ 48,885 00
New Westminster	60,231 78
Vancouver	153,726 75
Victoria	**815,663 67**

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

A Good Bargain.

A family organ for sale cheap Apply at 45 Government street. e25-1m

For Fancy Creamery Butter,

Choice Eastern bacon and hams, away up teas and coffees, go to Wm. Eckert, 106 Yates street. *

Annual Meetings.

The annual meetings of the shareholders of the Union Colliery company and the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway company are called for Wednesday, October 7th.

Not Finished Yet.

The sale of Remnants at the White House still continues. As the new goods come in they must push the old ones out, and prices this coming week will be lower than ever.

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Will Open on Saturday.

Owing to the non-arrival of some of his goods, delayed in transit, Mr. S. Reid will not open his new clothing store, on Government street, till Saturday next, September 5th.

Concert.

The members of the Young Men's Christian Association will have a concert and social at the rooms, on Broad street, this evening. A fine programme has been arranged, and a pleasant time is assured all who attend.

To Build the Kirke Block.

The necessary information having arrived from England, Mr. J. W. Carter, was, yesterday, given the contract to build the new Kirke block, which will extend from Fort to View streets, on Douglas. The contract figure is said to be $33,800.

"Going to be Valuable Property."

You had better go and see Cooper & Co., "Trounce avenue." Port Simpson property is going to be very valuable, and there are not many choice lots left. Buying a few lots or a block now, will make you a fortune in a year or two. 3t

Public Library.

The public library is every day growing more popular. During the past month, there were 2 431 books taken out, 1,142 by ladies and 1,289 by gentlemen, being a daily average of 95. For the same period 56 new cards were issued, the ladies claiming 23 and the gentlemen 56.

In Chambers.

Mr. Justice Walkem heard only one summons in Supreme Court Chambers yesterday, an application for leave to sign judgment under order xiv. The application was refused, and defendent was given eight days in which to deliver statement of defence. Costs in the cause.

Outgoing Passengers.

The following cabin passengers left for San Francisco, yesterday morning, by the steamer Umatilla: Thos. Ellis and wife, S. Jordan, E. Silson and wife, Mrs. C. O. Mitchell, Mrs. Clough and child, Minnie De Lachasse, Miss D. Carrie, J. Rostein, wife and two children, L. Abbe de Castins, and J. Camp and wife.

Still Continues.

Although the new fall goods have arrived Geo. R. Jackson has decided to still continue his sale for the balance of the week. This is a chance that may never be had again in Victoria, since these goods were all bought far below cost and are offered to the public at less than the regular invoice price. This is done to make room for the immense fall stock now arriving. First-class coat makers wanted; steady employment; best wages. *

Where is Michael Fletcher?

Mr. Thomas Bennett, Dominion Immigration Agent at Winnipeg, writes to ascertain if possible the whereabouts of Michael Fletcher, who arrived in Brandon on the 1st of July, 1886, and after working about among the farmers and on the Hudson's Bay railway, came to British Columbia, and has not been heard of since. The last time of writing was on the day of his arrival at Brandon. Michael is described as being rather tall, slight and fair, an only son and a steady young man.

Seattle Excursionists.

On Saturday next, the Odd Fellows of Seattle will visit Victoria, accompanied by a band. The steamer City of Seattle will bring over the visitors.

On Saturday, the 12th inst., the Seattle Knights of Pythias, accompanied by Knights from Tekoma, Snohomish, Kirkland, Wooley, and the Uniformed Rank, will come to Victoria. The intention is to charter the City of Seattle and the City of Kingston, and the tickets will be good over Sunday, although the intention is to return the same night. The order has become very powerful in Seattle, and the intention is to have such a grand affair as shall make it ever memorable.

A Hackman's Funeral.

Oscar Seaman, formerly a Victoria hackman, died at Seattle a few days ago, and his brother hackmen of that city turned out in a body to attend the funeral. The march to the final resting place was led by the First Regiment band, followed by the hack drivers, who walked in double rows, each carrying a whip, the butt of which was draped in crape. Next in line was the hack which Seaman had driven. This was draped in deep black and drawn by two horses, each of which was led by a groom. The driver's whip was broken. Then came the hearse and pall-bearers, six in number. The floral offerings came next, and then the friends of the deceased. The procession was about two blocks in length, and included 25 carriages.

The Officer Was Justified.

Chief of Police Sheppard and the members of the Police committee are determined that brutal policemen shall not be found on the Victoria force. It was for this reason that, as soon as the letter signed "A. M. Davis" appeared in the COLONIST, an investigation was ordered. A. M. Davis and J. M. Maybrick, who wrote in a similar vein, were requested to attend at the Chief's office, yesterday, but at the hour set for the enquiry, neither appeared. Officer Smith, on being asked to explain his conduct, told the same story as was given in the local columns of the COLONIST a few days ago, and his statements were endorsed by three competent witnesses, each of whom was positive that no unnecessary violence was shown. The committee fully exonerated the officer.

Bargains, Bargains.

A large variety of household articles, nearly new, consisting of Cooking and Heating Stoves, Mattresses, Crockery, Furniture, etc., which must be sold, at some price, at once. Call and make selection and your own price. Pierre Block, Douglas street, near City Hall. se2 5t

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5 at 1,250— 150 " " "
5 at 1,500— 250 " " "

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Going Higher.

Mr. John Teague, architect, has received instructions from the owners of the property to prepare plans for extensive alterations to the Palace Drug Store building, at the corner of Yates and Douglas streets. It is understood that an additional two stories are to be added. This should be an object lesson to those building, or contemplating building—the day of two-story business blocks has gone.

Verb. Sap.

In all important undertakings, there are three things which wise men consider, viz., the time, the place, the agent. The intending investor in real estate will observe that in respect to time, there can be no time better than the present. As to place, Victoria stands pre-eminent. The agents should be MORROW, HOLLAND & CO.,
*eod 44 Broad Street.

The Deer Take a Rest.

The deer which have been kept remarkably busy during the past week or two dodging Victoria hunters, yesterday enjoyed a brief rest. It was the first day of the season, and the rifle was shelved for the shotgun, and bucks were supplanted by grouse. Some really good bags were made, and the Poodle Dog's boarders were able to enjoy grouse for breakfast.

All for One Dollar and a Half.

Everything is being done to make the excursion to Seattle, on Saturday, by the commodious steamer Olympian, a success. Persons intending to go should secure tickets at once, as a certain number only will be issued, and, judging from the sales, so far, the steamer will be crowded. She leaves Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf at 7 a. m.; returning, will leave Seattle at 5:30 p. m.

Boys Cause an Accident.

Last night, while a teamster was driving along Yates street a span of horses attached to a lumber wagon, a number of school boys jumped on the wagon and scared the horses. They soon got uncontrollable and ran away, throwing all hands on the road. One little boy named Joseph Kirchlung was severely cut on the legs and head, one cut in his leg having nine or ten stitches put in by Dr. Hall.

Inland Revenue Receipts.

The receipts of the Inland Revenue Department, Victoria division, which comprises Vancouver Island, for the month of August, were as follows:—

Spirits	$ 6,864 09
Malt	2,827 60
Tobacco	3,511 50
Cigars	1,061 10
Petroleum inspection	53 60
	$14,428 19

The Police Court Blotter.

On Hing, a Chinaman, charged with an infraction of the building by-law, came up again in yesterday's police court, on remand from Monday, and after a short hearing was dismissed.

Lin Dow, charged with stealing a pair of blankets from a white girl named Ruby Carrol, who is now making her home with some Chinamen in China town, was sentenced to six months in the common jail.

The Two Bishops.

Seeing the name of Bishop Bickersteth amongst the passengers of the ss. Empress of Japan, which arrived at Vancouver on Saturday, it was concluded that he was the Bishop of Exeter. This, however, is not the case, as the gentleman in question is the Bishop of Japan, who has come for a trip to see his father, whom he will meet at Banff. The two Bishops will return to China by the Japan.

Emma Thursby.

Miss Emma Thursby has definitely arranged her concert for the 9th inst., and will be assisted by the best local talent—both professional and amateur. The concert is not given in aid of any charity. Miss Thursby's fame, both at home and abroad, is sure to secure her an eager, hearty welcome in this city. It is not often that so great a favorite in the States, and in the chief European cities, visits our western shores. Her name will be familiar to readers of the famous Ole Bull's memoir, as having assisted that celebrated violinist in his brilliant successes. While on a visit to Scandinavia, Miss Thursby has been the honored guest of the King of Sweden, and her enthusiastic reception in that country is among her most delightful professional experiences. On her return from Alaska, Miss Thursby will stay at Vancouver, where she has arranged to sing at the opera house on the 7th, thence proceeding to Victoria for her concert on Wednesday, the 9th.

The Philo Family.

Rev. Dr. Philo and his talented and versatile musical sons and daughter entertained a medium audience at The Victoria, last evening, presenting a programme of exceptional quality. Unfortunately, there is a marked sameness in the singing of all the family, and, while their voices are good, the effect is marred by the devotion of all to dramatic effect. Master Harry Philo is a clever little comic singer, and his work met with liberal and spontaneous approval. Mr. A. A. Aaronson's vocal number showed the singer to be possessed of an unusually strong baritone, which, although out of use for years, will fill easily the largest building in the city. Mr. Aaronson was the most fortunate of the evening's performers in securing an enthusiastic encore, to which he gracefully responded. Messrs. Lowenberg and Powell presided at the piano, playing tastefully and well. The elocutionist, Mr. I. Philo, chose strong dramatic compositions for the display of his art, and interpreted them with careful regard to voice, action, costuming and setting. His recitations were rightly set down as not the least of the treats of the entertainment.

Grass Fire.

The firemen received a still alarm yesterday afternoon for a fire which was endangering houses at Spring Ridge. Some fencing was burned, and was within a few feet of a house when the firemen reached the locality. They laid three hundred feet of small hose and soon made things safe in the neighborhood.

HOTEL DALLAS.

The Latest Addition to the Hoteldom of Victoria—A Splendid Building.

A Home for the Tourist—A Vantage Point From Which to View Victoria's Beauties.

The latest addition to hoteldom in Victoria is the Dallas. It was formally opened yesterday evening, and the large concourse of visitors who participated in the pleasing ceremony were unanimous in declaring the hotel A1. The Dallas is charmingly situated, near the Outer Wharf, and is built on the most approved plan. A solid brick building, with stone foundation, and of most attractive appearance, it is a welcome addition to the architecture of Victoria. From floor to ceiling everything is new, bright and tasteful, and when it is stated that the hostelry is owned and managed by a gentleman of Mr. W. Jensen's experience, its patrons may rely upon absolute comfort and satisfaction. There is ample accommodation for 100 guests, and as the Dallas is specially designed for a first-class tourist trade there is no doubt that it will be largely patronized. The foundation stone was laid on the 15th April last, and since that date work has steadily progressed, the finishing touches being given a few days ago. Rooms can be had singly or *en suite*, and, no matter whether in the second or third story, the apartment, or apartments, allotted to guests will be found bright, airy and luxurious. The building has electric lights in every apartment, and electric bells, is heated by steam throughout, and is practically fireproof. It will be conducted on the European plan, and that the *cuisine* is all that can be desired was established by the modest spread of yesterday evening. The dining-room is a model in its way—such a room as would give one an appetite, which a good table soon robs him of. The kitchen is at the rear of the dining-room, but so arranged that the guest would never suspect his close proximity to the culinary department. On the ground floor, also, are the office and reading room, billiard room, with two tables, and bar. The second story is set apart for bedrooms, parlors, drawing-room, etc. On this floor there are four bath rooms, and every accommodation. All the rooms are most luxuriously furnished, and from whatever aspect a beautiful view presents itself. The third story is like unto the second, but possesses the advantage of a smoking room, with a grand view of the Straits. A winding stairway brings the guest to the observation tower, from which he can feast his eyes upon as fine and varied scenery as is to be met with anywhere on the continent. Stretching before him are the Straits of San Juan de Fuca, and a little to either side the Olympic range in all its grandeur, and the Royal roads. The waters are studded with boats, nor is the larger craft absent. Do the guest and his party long to leave the scene, so as to make room for others waiting to enjoy it? Then they have but to step on a ten-foot promenade on the roof and prolong the pleasure. A commendable feature in the building is that as far as possible all the material used in it is native. The wood work is especially fine and beautifully carved, and is mainly of native cedar. Every room is a work of art in itself, but to thoroughly appreciate the perfection of arrangement one must visit the Dallas. Every success to the house and its enterprising proprietor.

Among Mr. Jensen's guests, yesterday, were: Mayor Grant and wife, Mrs. Joseph Heywood, U.S. Consul Myers and wife, A. McDonald, Andrew Laing, J. N. Newby, Wm. W. Northcott and wife, Capt. F. W. Wise and wife, Geo. A. Blackwell, A. M. Beattie, H. Mansell, Mrs. H. Mansell, Francis Page and wife, J. C. Marshall, Jas. Sharp, Mr. H. Berryman and wife, Mr. C. Andrews, Mr H. Borthwick, Mrs. D. R. Harris, H. Dallas Helmcken, Miss Helmcken, Miss Jane Clark, C. W. Jenkins and wife, J. Anderson and wife, M. R. Smith and wife, H. Smith, G. Smith, J. Hawkins, H. Litchfield, J. H. Harris, of "H.M.S. Warspite;" and M. Walsh.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

CRICKET.

The Victoria Cricket Club is completing arrangements to visit Seattle on the 12th inst., for the purpose of playing a return match with the eleven of the Sound city. Three of Seattle's best men failed to come over with them last week, and playing these, on their own ground, will put the Sound men in a very different position.

BASEBALL.

The management of the Victoria Amities are in communication with the Maroons of Seattle—one of the best amateur teams on the Sound— and a match is looked for on the Caledonian grounds, next Saturday. Nanaimo plays New Westminster on the same day. It is contemplated to establish a five club provincial league next season, comprising two teams from Victoria, and one each from Nanaimo, Vancouver and Westminster.

THE OAR.

The Willamette Rowing Club, of Portland, Ogn., held a meeting on Monday night for the purpose of making arrangements for a grand fall regatta, open to all professionals and amateurs. The regatta wil be held either during the latter part of September or the first of October, and will be open to all amateur clubs on the coast, including the Salt Lake City club. Among the professionals who will participate in the regatta are Hanlan, O'Conner, Teemer, Dutch and Peterson.

DANCING.

Mr. Alexander Beaton, the Scottish dancer, issues the following challenge;

To Mr. W. D. Ross, of San Francisco, Cal.:

In answer to your challenge of Saturday, August 29th, ult., 1891, that you would dance me a "Sailor's Horopipe" for money, giving you seven days' practice, I will take you up on that, and have already put up in the hands of Frank Campbell, tobacconist, the sum of One hundred dollars ($100), which, if you mean business, you will cover. I will give you five ( ) days to make a reply.

Yours, &c.,
ALEXANDER BEATON.

HERE AND THERE.

A general meeting of the shareholders of the James Bay Athletic Association is called for to-morrow evening.

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TEACHERS AND TEACHING.

Miss Armstrong Returns from the Convention Filled With Enthusiasm and New Ideas.

What Our Educational System Needs to Make it Perfect—Beginning and End

One of the most important lessons taught by the recent great gathering of teachers, at Toronto, was the value of united action.

So thinks and so says Miss Armstrong, principal of the Victoria Girls' School, who has only just got back from the great convention, with which she was thoroughly well pleased. In discussing her visit to the East, yesterday, she remarked: "One thing I have learned—it is time for us to put aside our little, petty differences, and begin to work together in the true interest of education. Universities, colleges, schools and kindergartens each have their distinct part to perform, but the objects for which all are aiming are the same. The great peculiarity of those thousands of workers in the schools of the United States, I found to be their single-heartedness and devotion to their chosen profession. The Americans seem to regard school teaching more as a fixed profession than do the Canadians—too many of our own people use the teacher's desk merely as a stepping-stone. The Americans, too, are never content with teaching by the text-books; they are constantly on the look-out for new ideas. The Convention to me showed clearly the necessity of normal and kindergarten schools in connection with our educational system in British Columbia.

"Industrial education in schools fell flat with the Convention—almost everybody went against it. The teachers said that the methods of instruction now pursued would, if the experiment were tried, prove not only most workable, but best in every way. If industrial education should be introduced in the common schools, it was feared that it would crowd book education out, and these schools of trade would graduate not well informed ladies and gentlemen, but skilled laborers—nothing more.

"One particularly interesting feature of the convention was the exhibition of pupils' work, from all parts of the United States as well as Canada. The schools of Toronto, however, shone brighter than any others. There, form, color and sound are part of the studies of the lowest forms, and the pupils gradually increase their acquaintance with drawing, painting and music as they mount from class to class. The work of the senior divisions, I can assure you, is in the highest degree creditable. The school children of Toronto gave a concert while the 20,000 teachers were in the city, and not only did the programme contain many beautiful pieces, but the manner of teaching the tonic sol-fa system was also well illustrated.

"Of the convention, what can one say, when there is so much to say? Every teacher, at its close, went home with new interest in the work, and with enthusiasm. In stirring all up to accomplish more than ever, it did good; and it was also instrumental in bringing to our assistance the thoughts of the greatest educators of America. Principal Grant, representing Canadian teachers, was, in the opinion of many, the greatest speaker of the convention; the papers of Mr. Goggin, principal of the Winnipeg Normal school; and of Mrs. Hughes, on kindergarten work, were also able and most instructive."

At the close of the convention, a meeting was held in the Normal school for the purpose of taking steps toward the organization of a Canadian association on the same lines as the National Educational Association. Hon. G. W. Ross, Ontario's minister of education, presided, and every province of Canada was represented. Hon. Mr. Robson spoke for British Columbia, and spoke well. The preliminaries are now being arranged, and it is confidently expected that the association will be able to hold its own meeting next year.

Helena's invitation to the association to hold its next session there is as unique as it is beautiful. The invitation itself is engraved on sheets of solid silver, the size of note paper, with gold tracery of flowers and foliage set in diamonds and rubies. It is said that fifteen of Helena's millionaires bore all the expense.

"Of course," observed Miss Armstrong, "Helena means business. To get such a meeting as that of the National Educational Association means to get a lot of money and a fine advertisement. There were at least 20,000 teachers in Toronto, and not one spent less than $20 to $50, besides hotel bills and such necessaries. During the Convention I attended many meetings, but at none did I find an audience of fewer than five thousand."

Sarah Marshall,

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The Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Takes the Persimmons.

A Prominent Railroad Official Declares the Vestibuled Limited is "Out of Sight."

I was in the office of the Advisory Board of the Northwestern Traffic committee, in Chicago, the other day. A prominent official, well known in the Twin Cities for his ability and geniality, was looking over the pool sheet for June, which a clerk had just made out.

"There's quite a traffic between Chicago and the Twin Cities," the official remarked, as he produced a "Jay Gould Favorite," a high grade railroad cigar of the period, "and it's a constant source of wonder to me how the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road maintains its lead in passenger traffic, considering the immense competition. Just look at this pool sheet," he continued. I read: "The Minneapolis-St. Paul-Chicago lines carried 13,400 through passengers in June. The advisory board, after a thorough examination of the reports, fix the following percentages:

	Per Cent.
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	27
Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas City	18
Albert Lea	17
Northwestern	16
Wisconsin Central	15
C. B. & N.	07
Total	100

I asked to what he attributed the fact that the "St. Paul" got more than one-quarter of the through travel between Chicago and the two big Minnesota towns.

"There is only one reason after all," he replied. "The public prefer the C. M. & St. P. Railway because its management inspires confidence; because its trains are the most luxurious; because one may always rely on getting to a given destination on time. This is not the history of a day, or a week, or a month, but it is the regular thing. As you know, I got my training on a competing road, but I must acknowledge the corn: The C. M. & St. P. is first in the estimation of the people. Did you ever try their vestibuled limited train between Chicago and St. Paul? If not, do so, and you will understand the reason for that 27 per cent. H. B. H.

—*Railway and Hotel News.*

HEAT CAUSED A WRECK.

A Sacramento Passenger Train Dashed to Pieces Over a Trestle, Through the Rails Expanding.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 31.—One of the most frightful accidents that has ever been chronicled on the California Pacific, happened this afternoon. The No. 305, regular local passenger train, pulled out of the depot on time, and started on its way to San Francisco and way stations. The train was well filled with passengers, and one of the most experienced engineers on the road had hold of the throttle. Conductor Wells had charge of the train.

Nothing more was heard of the train with its precious load of human freight, till about 4 o'clock, when Brakeman Newlands rushed breathlessly into Supt. Wright's office and announced that the train had been wrecked on the trestle, just this side of Webster station. This is about seven miles out of town.

Newlands was not able to give much information, for he had been ordered by Conductor Wells to rush to town and report the accident, and when he arrived he was out of breath.

Assistant Superintendent Jones ordered a special train to proceed at once to the scene of the wreck, and a yard engine with two coaches proceeded to the scene.

R. E. Parsons, the well-known agent of the Sacramento Transfer Company, gave a Bee reporter a graphic account of the disaster, which caused the loss of one life and the maiming of eleven men, no women or children being among the hurt.

"We were going along at a lively clip, as the train always does at that point," said Mr. Parsons, "when a sudden jerk told those in the forward cars that something was wrong. I was sitting in the smoker, and before I could guess what had happened the car went over on its side and then over again with a frightful crash.

"People flew in all directions, windows broke, and the sides of the car were crushed in. We fell, it seemed, a distance of 100 feet, though the fact is the trestle at that point is only 12 or 15 feet high.

"We got out of the wreck as soon as we could after the bottom was reached, amid the wildest confusion. Men shouted and shrieked and scrambled for the window openings and doors.

"The Wells-Fargo car, the combined baggage and mail car, the parlor car, in which were about a dozen people, and the smoker were piled in a mass of wreckage, although happily they did not pile upon one another."

Mr. Parsons did not lose his head, although the blood flowed freely from a wound in his forehead. He bandaged the wound with a pocket handkerchief, and, as soon as he could, proceeded to ascertain the cause of the accident.

"It was, without a doubt, a spread rail," said Mr. Parsons, "and the heat did it. The engine passed over safely, running along the edge of the ties, but keeping its place on the trestle."

From a reliable source it was learned that the rails at the wreck were all new, having been laid but a year or so ago. There is little doubt that the heat occasioned the expansion or spread that caused the frightful accident.

CAPTAIN BILL COMMITTED.

He will be Tried in the Speedy Trials' Court for Rescuing a Prisoner.

There was an unusually large gathering of Indians in police court, yesterday morning, when Capt. Bill was arraigned and charged with having rescued a prisoner from Officer Smith.

On the previous day the captain had been fined $50 and costs, or three months' imprisonment, for an assault upon Officer Redgrave. He accepted the alternative, but his friends subsequently made up the amount of the fine and paid it into court, thinking thereby to secure the liberation of William. They were sadly disappointed, however, when they discovered that $50 did not obtain for their friend five minutes' freedom, for no sooner did he issue from without the prison precincts than he was re-arrested on the charge of rescuing a prisoner, and was again taken back to his cell. The gathering in the court-room, yesterday morning, may be described as a meeting of disappointed subscribers to the Capt. Bill amnesty fund. Evidence was adduced to prove the prisoner's guilt, and there was no attempt at a defence. The magistrate returned the captain for trial, and then followed a very important lecture, delivered to the assembled Indians by Chief Sheppard, through an interpreter. The chief became eloquent in the Chinook, and Charley almost demonstrative in the native vocabulary. He told his fellow tribesmen (and women) that they must be law abiding, otherwise they would be severely punished. With an upward look of agony, a gutteral chuck, and the thumb and forefinger on the throat, he indicated that should the life of a white man be sacrificed at their hands those implicated in the crime would be hanged. A scattering of the hands and arms taught the wholesome lesson that the tribe would be scattered by the pale faces should his hearers not behave themselves. The rubbing of the eyes, accompanied by facial contortions, gave an idea of the grief such a catastrophe would occasion, and the stern closing sentence—it sounded well in Chinook—made it apparent that all that was said was meant. The lecture, which was listened to throughout with the greatest attention, appeared to make quite an impression on the dusky auditors. It was explained to Capt. Bill that he might elect to be tried under the Speedy Trials' Act, a course which he will doubtless adopt. There are a greater number of Indians in the city at present than has been here for a long time past. Most of them are en route to the hop fields after the fishing season.

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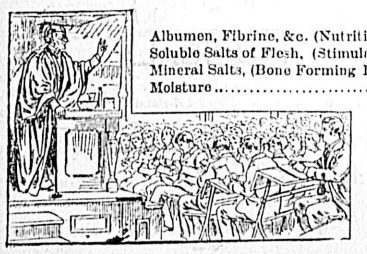

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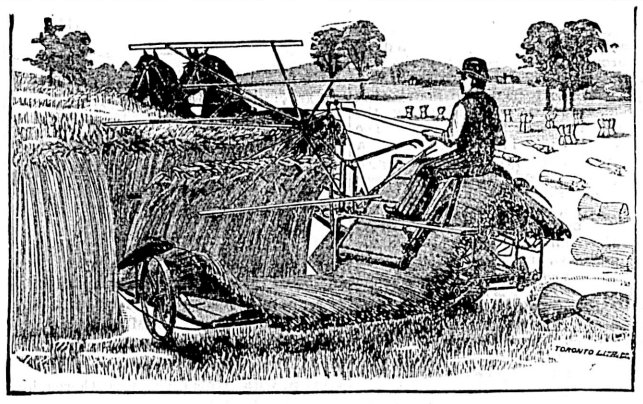

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The town of Nelson was startled on Saturday night last by the news of a most daring robbery at the C.P.R. station there. About ten o'clock a masked man shoved a big revolver through the window of the station and covered the agent, who was in front of a table facing the window. The robber commanded the agent to hold up his hands, and the demand was complied with. Next he informed his subject that he would shoot. He handed a rope to the agent and told him to tie up his assistant, who was in the adjoining room. The agent quickly complied, when the cool burglar demanded all the moneys and valuable papers in the safe, keeping the pistol pointed at his victim the while. The agent proceeded to hand out, the cool robber pocketing the wealth with avidity. He then informed the agent that he had brought a rope to the Charlie Rykert with, expecting to meet him there, and in proof of his assertion he handed another piece of rope through the window. He gaily now said good-bye to his victim, and after promising to send him a box of cigars took his departure. The clerks immediately gave the alarm, but the burglar was gone and has not been heard of yet.

A railroad man named Anderson, known to his companions as "Pete," was killed on the C. & K. railway, near Sproat, last Monday. He fell off the train unobserved, the wheels passing over his leg. He died soon after he was found.

The second basket picnic of the C. P. R. employees and their friends was held at Shuswap Tuesday, August 25th. The day was a delightful one to spend in the rural groves and resorts at Shuswap, and a far larger number attended this year than on the previous occasion.

Before leaving for the coast, Mr. Ellis, of Penticton, paid the import duty at Osooyos on 9,000 sheep, which the B. C. Cattle Co. have imported from Oregon. Six thousand of the sheep are now being driven by easy stages along the west shore of Okanagan Lake, their destination being the Chilcotin country. The remaining 3,000 will be turned out on the ranges in the lower country. So far no sheep have been lost. They are being driven by nine men, assisted by a multitude of dogs.

Harvest at Enderby is all but completed, and very seldom has a better crop been got in; both in weight and quality it is considerably ahead of previous years. Some of the earlier farms have already threshed.

AMERICAN NEWS.

The Statesville Bridge Disaster.

STATESVILLE, N.C., Aug. 31.—Jury in the Boston bridge disaster case brought in a verdict, to-day, attributing the wreck to a loose rail from which the spikes had been removed by unknown persons. The jury found also several cross ties nor the loose rail unsound, and censured the railroad company for running trains over the bridge, the superstructure of which they found to be defective for a high rate of speed.

A Story for Mark Russell.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The steamship Arizona, which arrived this morning, brought with her eight members of the crew of the ship Seagull, which was wrecked in a terrific gale of wind on the African coast. There were 26, all told, in the Seagull's crew, and of these all were drowned save the eight men picked up by the Arizona. When the Arizona found them, they were floating on a small raft in the middle of the Atlantic and frantically waving signals of distress. All of them were terribly emaciated from hunger and exposure, and some were hardly able to stand when lifted to the Arizona's deck. On board the big steamship everything was done for their comfort, and when they arrived here they were much improved in condition. The officers, as well as passengers, among whom there was considerable excitement, showered attentions upon the shipwrecked men. The eight survivors are the first mate, the cook, and six of the crew.

The Hopkins Will Contest.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—It is learned today that a determined effort is to be made to break the will by which Mrs. Edwin F. Searles bequeathed solely to her second husband, the thirty or more millions left her by her first husband, Mark Hopkins. Twenty-one blood relatives of the dead woman have combined with her adopted son, Timothy Hopkins, of San Francisco, to contest the will, on the ground that undue influence was exerted upon her to make her husband her sole legatee, and it will be claimed, besides, that she was not in sound mental condition when she executed the will. Timothy Hopkins, it is said, has refused $5,000,000 to withdraw his opposition to the probate of his adopted mother's will, and will, on September 15th, file his claim.

The Alien Labor Law.

WASHINGTON, August 31.—Immigrant Commissioner Owen, to-day directed that the four laborers who recently arrived from Canada, be returned to that country, having come into the United States in violation of the Alien labor law. The men were employed by David Meyers, of Pittsburg, N. D.

Murdered by Tramps.

MONROE, Mich., Aug. 31.—John Wilkinson and his wife were robbed and murdered by two tramps, Saturday afternoon, at their farm near here. The motive of the tramps was robbery. They found the couple at home, late in the afternoon, and demanded from Wilkinson a sum of money, which they had ascertained he had recently received. Wilkinson refused, whereupon the tramps set upon the farmer and his wife, and after beating them almost to insensibility, tortured them in the most cruel manner, in the hope of extorting from them the hiding place of the money. Failing in this, the tramps became enraged and finished their fiendish work by murdering the couple. Retribution, however, was quick and justice of the most summary nature was dealt out to them. A ten-year old son of Wilkinson, who had been outside, heard the shrieks of his mother, and gave the alarm. The tramps fled, but were hotly pursued by a posse of citizens, who came upon them near Maybee station. They were not even given time to say their prayers, but were at once shot by the infuriated citizens. The bodies were completely riddled with bullets.

For Ways that are Dark, Etc.

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Aug. 31.—It appears that a large number of Chinamen are arriving in this country by way of Canada. The plan of their introduction here is peculiar. They reach the towns lying along the Canadian border, and there is a permanent offer of $100 to any one who will land them on United States soil, the Chinamen themselves taking the chance of safety, after reaching this side. It is suspected that a number of Chinamen have arrived at points near Charlotte, leaving the steamer before reaching port, and being taken in small boats thence to land.

PLUMPER'S PASS.

Rapid Progress and Satisfactory Development of Mayne Island.

The sun of prosperity that is now visiting all parts of British Columbia has not neglected these beautiful islands, and we are now enjoying its genial warmth, as brought about by our paternal and far-seeing Government.

That old veteran, Mr. Clark, has just lengthened and strengthened Mayne Island wharf, and is at present busily engaged in erecting a new wharf on Galiano Island. Mr. Deacon, our new road master, has just put through a very creditable road, from the wharf to the lighthouse, although it is to be regretted that one hundred dollars of this appropriation might have been put to better advantage had one settler not refused right of way, thereby causing the road to take a circuitous and unnecessary course of at least a mile. This is to be deplored, as every dollar was required to make good and lasting work.

The lightning that has played such havoc on the valuable timber of the Mainland, by fire, has not left us without a similar record of anxiety and disaster. Three bush fires raged simultaneously, and many a settler heaved a sigh of thankfulness when the rain fell, quenching the fires and bringing rest to those whose duty it was to fight it.

As is well known, our waters teem with fish. Herring, halibut, cod, sardines, salmon and dog fish are here found in millions, and only wait the opening of markets for proper development.

All the lands are now taken up, and there is a steady growth and improvement perceptible on every side. The forest is steadily going down before the axe of the settler, new buildings are going up everywhere, some of a very substantial nature, and what with the wharf and new road, the united thanks of the settlers are due to our far-seeing Government, and to Mr. Booth, our representative in the House of Assembly, for their co-operation in the march of improvement.

We now have a daily mail service, carried by the ably managed steamers of the C. P. N. Company, two stores, a schoolhouse, post office and money order office.

It seems a pity that the companies locking up our valuable coal fields, could not be induced to operate them, more especially as they are doubly injuring our advancement, by not allowing settlers to work the surface rights.

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SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

NOTICES.

"THE BRITISH COLUMBIA CORPORATION, LIMITED." (FOREIGN).

Registered the 18th day of August, 1891.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

THIS is to certify that I have this day registered "The British Columbia Corporation, Limited," (Foreign) under the "Companies' Act," Part IV., "Registration of Foreign Companies,' and the "Companies' Act Amendment Act, 1889."

The objects for which the Company is established are:—

(*a.*) To carry on business in British Columbia and elsewhere in the Dominion of Canada and in the United States of America, and any other part of the world, as a land, mortgage, loan, investment and trust company, and as financiers, financial agents, commission agents, bankers, land and estate agents, contractors and concessionaires.

(*b.*) To buy, sell, and traffic in land, and to develop, lay out, and prepare the same for building or any other purposes, and to promote immigration, emigration, and colonization.

(*c.*) To insure and guarantee any contracts, undertakings, loans, mortgages, bonds, and securities of any government or municipal, or public or private body, or of any company, firm, or person, and to give guarantees and indemnities against any liabilities.

(*d.*) To undertake and perform the duties of and to act as executors and trustees.

(*e.*) To lend money and make advances with or without security, and to receive money on deposit.

(*f.*) To purchase or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of any business of any company, firm, or person of a similar nature to any business which may at any time hereafter be carried on by the Company, or which may be within the scope of any of the objects of the Company, or to acquire any interest in any such business.

(*g.*) To take on lease, or in exchange, or hire, or purchase, or acquire any lands, buildings, easements, machinery, plant, stock in trade, patent or other rights or privileges, and generally any property whatsoever of any kind, whether real or personal, or any estate, or interest therein, which the board may consider desirable in the interests of the Company.

(*h.*) To apply for, obtain, acquire, or deal with, or enter into Acts of Parliament, provisional orders, concessions, grants, powers, or covenants from or with governments, supreme, municipal, local, or other authorities or persons, or to subscribe to the expense of obtaining the same, either in the name of the Company or otherwise as may be thought expedient.

(*i.*) To procure the registration or other legal recognition of the Company in any foreign country, or any colony or dependency of Great Britain, or of any foreign country.

(*j.*) To hold, maintain and improve any property to which the Company may become entitled by foreclosure, or as mortgagees, or by virtue of any right of entry, and to carry on any business carried on upon or in connection with such property, and generally to deal with the same in such manner as the board may think fit.

(*k.*) To erect, construct, enlarge, alter, and maintain any buildings necessary or convenient for the Company's business.

(*l.*) To borrow and raise money for the purposes of the Company's business.

(*m.*) To mortgage and charge the undertaking, and all or any of the real and personal property, present or future, and all or any of the uncalled capital for the time being of the Company.

(*n.*) To create and issue at par, or at a premium or discount, debentures, mortgage debentures, and debenture stock, and other securities, payable to bearer or otherwise, and either permanent or redeemable or repayable, and collaterally to secure any securities of the Company by means of a trust deed or otherwise, and in the case of uncalled capital to confer upon the incumbrancer such powers of making and enforcing calls as the board may think fit.

(*o.*) To make, accept, and endorse promissory notes, bills of exchange, and other negotiable instruments.

(*p.*) To pay all expenses of and in connection with the incorporation of the Company, and the obtaining the subscription of the share and debenture capital thereof, and all commissions and other remuneration to brokers or other persons for procuring or guaranteeing subscriptions for, or for underwriting, placing, selling, or otherwise disposing of any of the shares, mortgage debentures, debenture stock debentures, or other securities or property of this Company, or of any other company, or assisting so to do, or for procuring or obtaining settlement and quotation upon London or Provincial, or foreign or colonial stock exchanges of any of such share or debenture capital.

(*q*) To issue any shares or securities which the Company has power to issue, by way of security and indemnity, to any person whom the Company has agreed, or is bound, to indemnify.

(*r.*) To pay for any property or rights acquired by the Company either in cash or in shares, with or without preferred or deferred rights in respect of dividend or repayment of capital, or otherwise, or by any securities which the Company has power to issue, or partly in one mode and partly in another, and generally on such terms as the board may approve.

(*s.*) To accept payment for any property or rights sold, or otherwise disposed of or dealt with by the Company either in cash, by instalments, or otherwise, or in shares of any company, with or without deferred or preferred rights in respect of dividend, or repayment of capital, or otherwise, or by means of a mortgage, or by debentures, debenture stock, mortgage debentures or other securities of any company, or partly in one mode and partly in another, or others, and generally on such terms as the board may approve.

(*t*) To enter into partnership or any joint-purse arrangement, or any arrangement, for sharing of profits, union of interests, reciprocal concession, or co-operation with any partnership, person or company carrying on or engaged in, or proposing or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction within the objects of this Company, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as, directly or indirectly, to benefit the Company

(*u.*) To establish, or promote, or concur in establishing or promoting any company, and to guarantee or underwrite subscriptions for any stock, shares, debentures, or other securities of any company, or to sub-scribe for the same, or any part thereof, and to issue on commission, subscribe for, take acquire, underwrite, and deal in stock, shares, mortgages, bonds, obligations and securities of all kinds.

(*v.*) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner as the board may think fit.

(*w.*) To sell, exchange, let on rent, royalty, share of profits, or otherwise grant licenses, easements, and other rights of and over and in any other manner deal with or dispose of all or any part of the undertaking, and all or any part of the property for the time being of the Company.

(*x*) To amalgamate with any other company whose objects are, or include objects, similar to those of this Company, whether by sale or purchase of the undertaking, subject to the liabilities of this or any such other company, with or without winding up, or by sale or purchase of all the shares, stock, debentures, or other securities of this or any such other company as aforesaid, or by partnership, or an arrangement of the nature of partnership, or in any other manner.

(*y.*) To give pensions, gratuities, donations, and emoluments to any person in the employment of the Company, or engaged in any business acquired by the Company, and the wives, widows, families, and dependents of any such persons, and to support and subscribe to any schools, hospitals, dispensaries, dining-rooms, baths, places of recreation, and any national, educational, scientific, literary, religious, or charitable institutions or objects, or trade societies, whether such societies be solely connected with any trade or trades carried on by the Company or not, and any club or other establishment calculated to advance the interests of the Company, or of the persons employed by the Company, or to subscribe towards or guarantee the expenses of or otherwise take part in the promotion of any exhibition.

(*z.*) To distribute among the members in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction (if any) for the time being required by law.

(*aa.*) To exercise the powers given by the "Companies' Seals Act, 1864."

(*bb.*) Generally to do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the above objects, or any of them.

The amount of the capital stock of the said Company is £300,000, divided into 30,000 shares of £10 each.

The place of business of the said Company is located at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 18th day of August, 1891, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.
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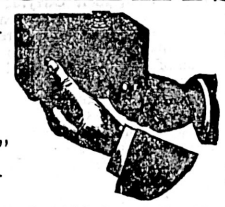

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its next regular meeting, for a license to sell and supply beer, porter and wines with meals, and not otherwise, at the Balmoral Restaurant, No. 40 Broad Street, Victoria.

F. W. GARLAND,
Balmoral Restaurant.
40 Broad Street, Victoria.
Dated 7th day of August, 1891. au7-1m

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease, for lumbering purposes, the following described lands in Nootka District:

Commencing at a post on north shore of Muchalat Lake; thence north 120 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence south to shore of lake; thence following shore to starting point.

No. 2.—Commencing at a post on right bank of the east fork of Gold River, about two miles from the confluence with the main river; thence north 100 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence west to starting point.

No. 3.—Commencing at a post about 80 chains below No. 2, on same stream; thence west 80 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north to starting point.

No. 4.—Commencing at a post on left bank of Gold River, about a mile below the forks; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west to starting point.

No. 5.—Commencing at a post on right bank about three miles below No. 4; thence west 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south to point of commencement.

Dated this 10th day of Aug., A.D. 1891.
JOHN WHITE,
au14 T. J. HAMMILL.

RESERVE, RENFREW DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all the surveyed Crown lands, situated in the valleys of the San Juan and Gordon Rive have been reserved from sale or pre-emption until further notice.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., May 4th, 1891. m5

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 19, Block 12, in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above Lot will be issued to Danie Fowler Adams on the 4th day of September 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 2nd June, 1891. je3-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 3, 4, 12 and 13, Block A, of Suburban Lot XXIII, Esquimalt District.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Frederick Williams and William Arthur, on the 17th day of October, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the Registrar General, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 15 h July, 1891. jly17-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 2, Victoria City.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above lot will be issued to Edward Benjamin Marvin on the 18 h day of September, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
16th June, 1891. je17-3m

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR any debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm.
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. de18

NOTICE.

Estate of Edgar Marvin, deceased, late of the City of Victoria, Merchant.

CREDITORS are requested to send in their claims and debtors to pay their accounts forthwith to Charles Kent, Esquire, at the City Hall, in the City of Victoria.

Dated this 5th day of August, A.D. 1891.
WILLIAM THATCHER MARVIN,
au5-1m Executor.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the Rocky Islets in Esquimalt Harbour, fronting section 8, Esquimalt District.

J. D. HELMCKEN.
July 14th, 1891. 2m jy17

NOTICE.

AFTER this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife.

ARTHUR FOX.
Aug. 19, 1891. au20 tf

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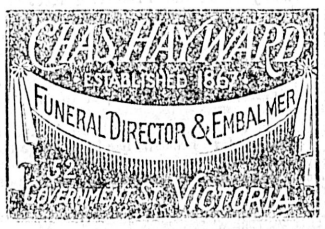

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The undersigned, to whom was referred the establishing and maintenance of a Home for the indigent poor of this city, respectfully request donations of food clothing, furniture, bedding, periodicals, etc., which will be thankfully received.

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Time Table No. 14, takes effect June 23, 1891.

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Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday at 13 o'clock or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster Ladner's Land'g and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock. Wednesdays and Fridays at o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2 going east Monday.)
For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victor'a—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports the 27th of each month.

Bute Inlet Route:
Steamer RAINBOW leaves every Friday for Cowichan, New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and way ports.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification. Steamers leave by Standard time.

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The Colonist.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1891.

DEATH.

PHILLIPS—At his residence in this city, on August 31, Mr. Geo. B. M. Phillips, aged 80. The funeral will take place TO-DAY (Wednesday) at his late residence, No. 13 Caledonia avenue, at 10:30 a.m., and at St. Barnabas church at 11 a.m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 2, 1891.

Sun rises.....5:18 a.m. | Sun sets.....6:41 p.m.
Moon rises, 1.18 a.m.

Day of the year, 245th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Sept. 1, 1891.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	59°	Mean 57°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	48°		
9 a. m..	57°	Highest 69°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	68°		1 p.m.—8 miles S.
5 p. m..	65°	Lowest 47°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	56°		Rain—0.60.

Average state of weather—Fair.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—C I Thompson, A J Hanley, H B Brommigon, O P Peterson, O Leornet, Geo Simmons, Zalli and brother, C B Lutton, W H Snell, J H Spodane, Chas Kreemer wife and daughter, Miss Richardson, L Baker, Mrs Brown, W Shelley, W T Strella, Mrs Gabriel and sister, Mrs Osborne, M Bennett, P Olsen and wife, Wm Code and wife, Jno T Groff and son, J M Marlin and wife, S M Millard and son, Miss Richardson, F Stetson, J M Shelley, Miss Haunen, Mrs Thompson, Miss Peckham, S Haineker, P Hesketh, N Butler, H Schnotz, Thos O'Brien, J N Dean, R Rupper and wife, L McBride, G Dean, R H Barber and wife, Mrs Murray, Mr E E C Brown, T Wade, C E Clancy, D Hanna, F O E Starr and wife, Mrs Hanna, Miss Read, Miss Marshal', W H Davison and wife, E Tag, A Hossnell, M McLeod, A B Stabb and wife, F S Richards, J R Stewart, Miss Shelley, Wm McCracken.

Per steamer YOSEMITE from Vancouver:—Geo McClure, J R Stratton and wife, J Germand, J M Spinks, F S Barnard, R Collister, E E Rand, Lottie Hastings, H P Ceperley and wif, W Wilson, W Rundall, Miss Crawford, H Levy J O Cleaver, Mrs Kent, J A Climer, Hastings W B McDonald, J Corbett, Jno Bartlett, J Wolf sohn, Josie Ward, Jno McNabb, W A Foster, J S Crone, Col Alexander, J W Miller, E A Cleveland, J Morris, R G Stewart, F R Stewart, J W McFarland, Rev T H Starbuck, Gideon Robertson, C Melloy, P A Crossby, D H Marthison, Mrs Mackie, D R Kelly, P Turnbull, May Tobin, Miss Laidlaw, S H Everleigh, A Ross, J W D Witely, H Brown, Jas Ses ford, P S Worthington, Wm Lawrence, Ed Gillespie and wife, C G Crawford, W B Browne and party, A Shaw, H A Ware, A J Armstrong and wife, Miss Steel, W Pidgeon, P Pfertner, J N Browning, E Priest, E McColl, Robt Grant and wife, Thos Danton, Douglass Dick, Miss Ross, Jno Hopkins, J Collins and wife, M E Tobin, D B Charleson, Dan Searles, R Gibson, H Tompkins, A Capoo, Gordon Gordon, A Porter, Mrs J Churchland, H Alldersale, H M Howard, J Morrison and wife, J C Campbell and wife, N Copeland, and others.

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Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—Turner, Beeton & Co, Matthews, R & Tye, Union Brewing Co, S Leiser, R V Winch, Cowan & Wilson, Ellis & Co, B Gordon, S H Osgood, H Lewis & Co, Bracksman & Kerr, E G Prior & Co, Sisters St Anne's D Holmes, Vaio & Brooks, Leamy & Kyle, L Marks, Wm Sticknoch, Close & Johnson Clausser Sween Bg Co, Jas Baker, Nat Elec T Co.

Per Steamer YOSEMITE from Vancouver:—R Baker & Son, P McQuade & Son, McLennan & McFeeley, A B Erskine, T M Graham, T B Pearson, W Smythe, Dixi H Ross, Waler & Downer, J B Johnson, C P N Co, C Strouss & Co, Boucherat & Co, Discher & Campbell, L G Burns, J R Robinson, Hudson Bay Co, R Lettice, W G Cameron, R Maynard, T Houghton, Geo Powell & Co, H Waller, G L Curtis Jas A Cohen, Langley & Co, J Wenger, Bank B N A, John Cort, A Lewis & Co, Watson & Geiger, Dom Exp Co.

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"	Umatilla	"	"
"	City of Topeka	"	"
"	Cutch	"	Vancouver.
"	Maude	"	Nanaimo.
"	Rithet	"	N. Westminster.
Slp.	Annie	"	West Coast.

OUTWARDS.

Str.	Yosemite	for	Vancouver.
"	Olympian	"	Port Townsend.
"	City of Kingston	"	"
"	City of Topeka	"	"
"	Umatilla	"	"
"	Cutch	"	Vancouver.
"	Orla	"	Port Townsend.
"	Rithet	"	N. Westminster.
Slp.	Annie	"	West Coast.

LOCAL.

Steamer Maude arrived in, yesterday afternoon, with a load of coal from Nanaimo.

Steamer Wellington passed up to Nanaimo, Monday evening, to load coal for San Francisco.

Steamship Umatilla sailed for San Francisco, yesterday morning.

Steamship City of Topeka sailed from this port at noon, yesterday, for Alaska. She had about thirty tourists on board and about half as many more steerage passengers.

Steamer Islander sailed for the north, last night, with only a few white passengers but a large number of Siwashes. Mr. John Clapperton and wife were among the few cabin passengers.

FOREIGN.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—News reached the Maritime exchange, to-day, of the loss of the ship Fanny Tucker, which sailed from here for Washington Territory in June with a cargo of general merchandise. The ship reached Bahia, leaking, where her cargo was lightered. During the operation she caught fire and burned to the water's edge. The crew escaped. She was commanded by Capt. Frost, and was owned by W. P. Lenox, of Maine. She was of 1,527 tons burden.

LITTLE LOCALS.

The wires went down between Victoria and Vancouver last night.

A garden party is to be given at St. John's rectory this evening.

Go and see Cooper & Co. about Port Simpson. Quick. au30-3t

John T. Pierre, merchant tailor, has removed to his new shop, Douglas street, two doors south of city hall. *

Eighteen bales of Wilton, Brussels and Tapestry Carpets, of latest designs, just opened at Weiler Bros. *

Simpson's "Bon Ton" tailoring parlors, 86 Government street. Dress suits a specialty. my14

Wanted to buy, 3,000 lots of ladies' and gents' new and cast-off clothing. N. Pointer, 85 Johnston, cor. Broad. au15-6m

Some rich damask, in all the latest shades suitable for curtains, draperies, etc., just received by Weiler Bros. *

Now is the time to improve your lot. Rough lumber only $9 per M at the Victoria Coal, Wood and Lumber Yard, Laurel Point. *

There was no meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade yesterday. Cause—No quorum.

The body of the late J. H. Edwards was interred beside that of his son, in Ross Bay cemetery, yesterday.

Jelly Glasses and Fruit Presses at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

Fruit Jars, in pints, quarts and half-gallons, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

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Builders would save money by buying their lumber at the Victoria Coal, Wood and Lumber yard, Laurel Point, rough, only $9 per M, other grades correspondingly low. *

The police will take no action in the Nootka Sound Indian trouble; no one having been hurt or wounded.

Mr. Virtue, the newly appointed manager of the Hotel Vancouver, took possession last week, and is already very highly spoken of by his guests.

Sale at 113 Fort street, the whole stock of Toys, Fancy Goods, etc., at cost. I. A. Lemm. au20-1m

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Baby carriages and bird cages at CHEAPSIDE. *

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The crews of the sealing schooners Mary Taylor, Annie C. Moore, Borealis, Rosie Olsen, and Geneva were paid off at the Custom House, yesterday.

The two men arrested for a criminal assault, on Monday night, were liberated yesterday; medical testimony being accepted as conclusive.

Family Scales and Preserving Kettles at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St. *

A line of nice pocket knives, razors, scissors, and table cutlery, just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

Some nice Mountain Goat Skin Rugs, at a low price, at Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

George Conners, an aged man incapable of earning for himself, has been lodged at the police station for the past two weeks. The Old Folks' Home would be a more suitable place for him.

An emergency meeting of Vancovver and Quadra Lodge, No. 2, A.F. and A.M., this evening at 8 o'clock.—Work in the third degree. Sojourning brethren in good standing are cordially invited.

Just received, a consignment of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables. Cheapest fruit of this season. Apples, Plums, Tomatoes, Peaches, Grapes, Potatoes, Onions and Sweet Potatoes. R. H. Jameson, 33 Fort street. *

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ISLAND TRADE DEVELOPMENT.

TO THE EDITOR:—It is doubtful whether those of your correspondents who take most interest in the extension of the Island Railway have ever taken the trouble to think over what the requirements of the country are, and what is the general method of progressive development in similar cases. A railway is not a first necessity in any country that is well served by navigable water; but a second necessity after the development of its resources by water so far from the coast line that they cannot be served any further by this means. In a heavily timbered country, with good merchantable timber, the logger has to prepare the way for the farmer, and the former will fell his first trees as close to the water as possible. The settlement takes place in the natural order of things along the waters' edge; the logger comes on the ground first, the farmer afterwards, and both require a good steamboat in order to carry on their operations. The fish canning industry can be well served by a good steamboat, also, for reasons of a like kind—call the preceding reasons, for the sake of simplicity, number one—and next consider what is necessary to the prosecution of the industries under the head of number one and call this last number two. Now, in order to make settlement attractive, there must be regular means of communication, so that the pioneer can count upon the sale of his products and the delivery of his supplies. He must have means of communicating with those for whom he is working, and they must be constant, regular and without fail. This is number two. It follows that the existence of number one requires that of number two. A great many persons fail to appreciate the comparative merits of modern railroads and steamboats. The steamboat as a machine has within late years improved so much more than a railroad as to leave the latter by comparison very far behind. With reference to the cost of their carrying power, a railroad, as compared with a steamboat, is a very one-horse affair. If it were possible to run steamboats on dry land, the railroad occupation of the C. P. R. would be gone to-morrow, A good modern steamboat can beat the time of the Vancouver Island railway every day in the week.

There is no immediate necessity to build a railway to the north end of the island; but there is a necessity for running a first-class steamer from Victoria through to Queen Charlotte Islands, up the east coast and down the west coast, or *vice versa*, whether such steamer would pay a dividend or not, is a question. If not, she should be run under a guarantee of the Dominion and Provincial Goverments, and she should be at least a 17-knot boat. She should call at all important points on both sides of the Island, and her course should be defined, so as to accommodate marginal traffic of all kinds.

Such a boat should not, in the first instance, run at night, but in daylight, between the hours usually devoted to their daily avocations by working people, and her nightly stopping places should be well-chosen.

It will be in round numbers 200 miles from Victoria to the centre of the Queen Charlotte Islands, and returning by the west coast of Vancouver Island, say, 250, or 450 nautical miles—say 500 nautical miles for the round trip. Such a boat, stopping frequently and running only in working hours, would make probably 120 miles per day, and her round trip would, therefore, be one of four days and some hours, in round numbers. To serve the public interest well, she should not be stinted in fuel; but, inasmuch as it costs four or five times as much to run a steamboat at 17 knots as it does at 10 knots, (so far as fuel is concerned), such a boat could scarcely be expected to earn a dividend during the first days of operation, and should, therefore, be well subsidized, or run under a guarantee. The quickest way to get the Island Railway and the Canadian Western built will be to stop writing impracticabilities and granting impossible charters, and instead thereof let the Board of Trade and other bodies interested, find out from the C.P.N.Co. what would be the lowest subsidy at which they could perform such a service and immediately apply to the governments interested to provide the necessary funds. It is easy to suggest multifarious schemes that would redound to the prosperity of various interests, and if all could be carried out, we should have results to rival the farfamed Utopia. But the limitations to practicabilities require the exercise of discretion and common sense, which are the agencies sought to be recommended to Vancouver Islanders in the present emergency. It will be well to remember that creeping generally precedes walking, and also that half a loaf is better than no bread. In no long time the business created by the service here suggested would pay a fair return, and the progress of settlement working inward and backward, be sufficient to justify the building of a railway as well.

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